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- 1. By Senator Willacy: Making appropriation to pay the mileage and per diem of members and per diem of officers and employees of the Thirty-third Legislature, 13.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 25.—Taken up, constitutional rule suspended, and placed on second reading; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 21.—Reported engrossed, 26.—Received from House, 24.—Signed, 25.—Reported enrolled, 72.
- 2. By Senator Willacy: Making appropriation for the contingent expenses of the Thirty-third Legislature, 13.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 25.—Taken up, constitutional rule suspended and placed on second reading; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 22.—Reported engrossed, 26.—Received from House, 24.—Signed, 25.—Reported enrolled, 72.
- 3. By Senator Willacy: Making appropriations for the support and maintenance of the Attorney General's Department for the remainder of the fiscal year, ending August 31, 1913. 13.-Reported favorable, be not printed, 25.—Taken up, constitutional rule suspended and placed on second reading; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 23.—Reported engrossed, 72.—Received from House with amendments, 152 .-House amendments concurred in, 152. -Signed, 217.—Reported enrolled, 218.
- 4. By Senator McNealus: To prevent the pollution of the water courses or

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- By Senator Weinert: To provide for the suspension of sentence in certain cases of conviction for felony for first offenses upon the recommendation of the jury, and for submission of the issue to the jury by the court and to provide the duration of the suspension of sentence in ease of final conviction of the defendant, cumulating punishment and granting a new trial after suspension, etc., 14.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 90.—Read second time, committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 139, 140, 141, 142.—Reported engrossed, 166.—Bill in full, 283.—Received from House with amendments, 499.—House amendments concurred in, 521.—Signed, 545.—Reported rolled, 553.
- 6. By Senators Murray and Weinert: To grant the Cuero Light & Power Company certain privileges and rights to build certain dams across the Guadalupe river near Cuero, Texas, 14.—Reported favorably, 123.—Made special order, 212.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended, read third time and passed, 231, 232.—Reported en-

grossed, 257.—Received from House with amendments, 914.—Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested Free Conference Committee and committee elected, 915.-House reports granting of request, 958.—Senate adopts report of Free Conference Committee, 961.-House reports adoption of Free Conference Committee, 962.—Signed, 993.—Reported enrolled, 1033.—Recalled from the Governor (see Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14), 1014.-Received from Governor, 1146.-Referred back to same Free Conference Committee, 1136.—Senate adopts Free Conference Committee report, 1153.—House reports adoption of Free Conference Committee report, 1186.-Signed, 1265.-Reported enrolled, 1281.

- 7. By Senators Johnson and Weinert: Authorizing the incorporation of mutual hail insurance companies, providing for the investment of reserve funds, requiring annual reports and fixing the fees to be paid, etc., 14.-Favorable report, 91.—Made special order, 118.—Postponed, 170.—Taken up, amended, 212, 213, 214.—Ordered engrossed, constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 215 .--Final passage vote rescinded and spread on Journal, 216.-Taken up; final passage vote rescinded; read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 244.—Reported engrossed, 258.—Received from House, 914.—Signed, 973.—Reported enrolled, 1002.
- By Senators Terrell and Darwin: To create a State Highway Department and establish a State Highway Commission and the office of State Highway Engineer, 14.-Adverse report with favorable substitute, 513.-Read second time; committee report adopted; substitute bill offered; pending, 611.—Taken up and postponed, 709.-Taken up and postponed, 858.-Taken up; pending, 877.—Taken up; amended; pending, 880.—Taken up, amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 884.—Reported engrossed, 941.—Received from House, with amendments, 1294.-Senate refused to concur in House amendments requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 1295.—House grants request, 1301.-Senate adopts report,

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 - 1393.—House reports adoption of report, 1417.—Signed, 1448.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 9. By Senator Warren: To apportion the State of Texas into congressional districts, 14.
- By Senator Warren: To apportion the State of Texas into Senatorial districts, 14.
- 11. By Senator Collins: To provide for the compensation of certain employees and their representatives and beneficiaries for personal injuries sustained in the course of employment, and for deaths resulting from such injuries and to determine in what cases compensation shall be paid; and to create an insurance association to insure and guarantee such payments of an industrial accident; fixing powers, duties and liabilities of said insurance association, giving the Commissioner of Insurance and Banking power of con-15.—Favorable report, with trol. amendments, 238.—Made special order, 501.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; pending, 709.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed, 718, 720, 723.—Reported engrossed, 805.—Read third time and passed, 864.-Received from House with amendments, 1294.— House amendments read and laid on table subject to call, 1295.—Senate refused to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 1298.—House grants request, 1315.—Senate adopts report, 1392.—House reports adoption of report, 1417.—Signed, 1521.—Reported enrolled, 1526.
- 12. By Senator Paulus et al.: To provide for the purchase of a site and for the establishment, location and construction of an asylum in South Texas for the care and treatment and support of negro insane persons, 15.—Adverse report, 218.
- 13. By Senators Darwin and Gibson:
 To amend Revised Civil Statutes, 1911, relating to the manner of taking scholastic census, and the duty of the census trustee. 15.—Favorable report, with amendments, 121.—Read second time; minority committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 485.—Reported engrossed, 516.

- 14. By Senators McGregor and Willacy:
 To create a State Trunk Highway Department, which shall be a part of the Prison System of Texas, 15.—Favorable report, 511.
- 15. By Senator Vaughan: Concerning the marital rights of parties, defining the separate and community property of the husband and wife, conferring upon the wife power to make contracts, and authorizing suits on such contracts, 16.
- 16. By McGregor and Willacy: Providing for the registration of motor vehicles, regulation of their use upon streets and public highways and defining such vehicles and such highways, 16.—Reported favorably, 284.
- 17. By Senator Kauffman: To define and regulate the practice of optometry, to create a board of examiners in optometry and examining and licensing optometrists and to issue the certificates, 16.—Favorable report, with amendments, 131.—Recalled and recommitted to committee, 154.—Favorable report with amendments, adverse minority, 285.—Read second time and minority (adverse) report adopted, 929.
- 18. By Senator Cowell: To create a special district court for Grayson county and to prescribe its jurisdiction. 17.—Reported favorably, 165.— Made special order, 458.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 524.—Reported engrossed, 552.—Received from House, 834.—Signed, 868.—Reported enrolled, 871.-Recalled from Governor (per S. C. R. No. 12), 912.—Received from Governor, 967.—Taken up; final passage vote rescinded: read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 982.—Reported engrossed, 1032.—Read third time and passed, 1017.—Received from House, 1104.-Signed, 1217.—Reported enrolled, 1225.
- 19. By Senator Taylor: Defining what shall be a full crew on certain passenger and freight trains (known as Full Crew Bill), 17.—Reported favorably, 286.—Made special order, 544.
- 20. By Senator Brelsford: Providing for the payment of salaries to county attorneys in certain counties in lieu of fees heretofore paid them in misdemeanor cases, 17.—Reported adversely, 1005.

- 21. By Senators Weinert and Real: To prescribe hours between which dealers in spirituous and vinous and malt liquors shall be required to keep their places of business closed (criminal bill), 17.—Reported adversely with favorable substitute, and substitute in full, 218-219.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed, 282.—Reported engrossed, 447.—Read third time and passed, 444.—Received from House, 1351.—Signed, 1448.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 22. By Senators Watson and Hudspeth: Prescribing additional duties for the State Inspector of Masonry, Public Buildings and Works, providing for the appointment of assistants by him, 17.—Reported with favorable substitute, 122.—Made special order, 249.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 445.—Reported engrossed, 467.—Received from House, 709.—Signed, 763.—Reported enrolled, 784.—Reported engrossed, 1033.
- 23. By Senator Watson: Making it a misdemeanor for any minor to enter or remain in any saloon or place where intoxicating liquors are sold or permitted to be sold, or to purchase any intoxicating liquors and fixing the therefor, 17.—Reported punishment favorably with amendments, 91.—Read second time, amendment offered, pend-129.—Taken up, committee amendments adopted, 170.—Refused to adopt committee report, 170.-Vote by which Senate refused to adopt committee report reconsidered, 217.— Taken up and laid on table, subject to call, 249.-Taken up and recommitted, 456-457.—Reported adversely, 1004.
- 24. By Senator Watson: Authorizing and regulating certain classes of indemnity contracts and empowering corporations to make such contracts and fixing certain fees, 18.
- 25. By Senator Cowell et al.: Providing for the establishment, maintenance, control and management of State High Schools offering courses of study of agriculture, manual training and domestic economy, and offering special courses for the preparation of teachers, 18.—Reported favorably, 163.

- 26. By Senator Brelsford: To establish the Central West Texas Normal College, 18.—Reported favorably with amendments, 121.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 280.—Reported engrossed, 447.—Received from House, with amendments, 834.—House amendments concurred in, 1101.—Signed 1264.—Reported enrolled, 1281.—Veto message, 1348.
- 27. By Senator Lattimore: Making it unlawful to sell or barter medicine carried for sale in a wagon, automobile or other vehicle, or on foot or horseback, or to leave any medicine at any residence or consignment, 18.—Reported favorable majority, adverse minority, 448.—Made special order, 876.—Read second time; adverse committee report adopted, 1242.
- 28. By Senator Lattimore: To erect memorials, etc., to Texas soldiers who fell in the war between the States, 18.

 —Reported favorably, with amendments, 646.
- 29. By Senator Terrell et al.: To authorize the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway Company of Texas, to lease for a term of not less than 25 years the railroad of the Texas Central and other short lines within this State, 18.—Reported favorably, 131.—Taken up; pending, 170.—Taken up, pending, 232.—Taken up, amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; vote by which constitutional rule was suspended, rescinded, 233.—Reported engrossed, 258.—Taken up and laid on table subject to call, 248.—(House bill No. 29, passed in lieu of.)
- 30. By Senator Paulus et al.: Limiting the hours of labor of females employed in any manufacturing, mechanical or establishment, laundry, mercantile hotel, restaurant or theater, or telegraph office, or telephone establishment or by any express or transportation company (known as the 54-hour act), 18.-Reported with favorable substitute, 237.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; pending, 813.—Taken up and postponed, 822.—Taken up; amended; pending, 831.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed, 842.—Reported engrossed, 870.—Read third time and passed, 867.—Received from House with

- amendments, 1351.—Motion to nonconcur in House amendments, and motion to concur made, 1357.—Point of
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 committee made and pending, 1357.—
 Motion to concur withdrawn, 1364.—
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 with amendments, 1422.—Motion made
 to concur in House amendments, 1425.
 —House amendments concurred in,
 1428.—Signed, 1515.—Reported enrolled, 1528.
- 31. By Senator Taylor: Defining indigency within the meaning of the pension laws of this State, 18.—Reported favorably, 111.—Made special order, 154.—Read second time; amended; pending, 215.—Taken up; amended; pending, 216.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 230-231.—Reported engrossed, 257.—Received from House with amendments, 835.—Senate refused to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 848.—House grants request, 1018.—Senate adopts report, 1039.—House reports adoption of report, 1039.—Signed, 1086.—Reported enrolled, 1089.
- 32. By Senator Lattimore: Relating to the granting of free passes over railroads and other lines of transportation, 18.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 578.
- 33. By Senator Johnson: To authorize the formation of corporations for irrigation and development purposes for farming under irrigation, and permitting the acquisition of land for such purpose, 19.—Reported favorably, 748.
- 34. By Senator Collins: To require the attendance of all boys and girls between the ages of 7 and 17 years upon the public schools or some private school for at least 80 days of each school year, requiring parents or guardians to make monthly reports to the teachers; and making it a misdemeanor for any parent or guardian to fail to require their children of the lawful age to attend school the required time, 19.—Reported, adverse majority, favorable minority, with amendments, 223, 224.

- 35. By Senator Darwin et al.: Relating to the rights of married persons, defining the separate and community property of the husband and wife, removing the disabilities of coverture as they relate to married women, 19.
- 36. By Senator Bailey: To enlarge the jurisdiction of the county court of Harris county for civil cases, so as to confer upon it jurisdiction over misdemeanor cases, and to change name of said court of Harris county as to civil cases, 19.—Reported favorably, 92.—Recommitted, 118.—Reported favorably, 221.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 280.—Reported engrossed, 468.—Received from House, 560.—Signed, 577.—Reported enrolled, 598.
- 37. By Senator Bailey: Granting permission to Philip H. Fall. Charles P. MacGill and the heirs of E. B. Nichols, deceased, to bring suit against the State of Texas in the district court of of Travis county, 19.—Reported favorably, 90.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 686.—Reported engrossed, 752.
- 38. By Senator Lattimore: Defining live stock commission merchants, requiring such merchants to give bond, imposing penalty for pursuing occupation of live stock commission merchants when bond has not been made, 19.—Reported favorably. 90.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed. 282.—Reported engrossed, 447.—Received from House, 1069.—Signed, 1156.—Reported enrolled, 1166.
- 39. By Senator Lattimore: To amend Section 199, Chapter 2, Title 7, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 19.

 —Reported favorably with amendments, 91.
- 40. By Senator Collins: To protect material men, artisans, mechanics and laborers for material furnished or labor performed on any building, improvements, fixtures or articles on which they have furnished any material or performed any labor, and requiring any owner or original contractor on such buildings, improvements, fixtures or articles whatsoever, to see

- that all material furnished and labor performed on any such building have been fully paid for at a just and reasonable valuation before such contractor shall receive his pay for performing any service under the terms of his contract, 20.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 164.—Made special order, 922.—Read second time; amended; pending, 1255.
- 41. By Senator Westbrook: To amend Revised Civil Statutes so as to provide that the penalty for the charge of collection of usurious interest shall be the forfeiture of principal as well as interest. 65.—Reported adversely, 110.
- 42. By Senator Johnson: Detaching Bailey county from Castro county for judicial purposes in the Sixty-fourth Judicial District and attaching it to Parmer county within the Sixty-ninth Judicial District, 65.
- 43. By Senator Darwin: Relating to the gross receipt tax based upon gross receipts of wholesale dealers in or distributors of intoxicating liquors; defining same so as to include every individual, company, corporation, selling intoxicating liquors, to retail dealers or delivering on consignments to their agents for retail and to consumers where it is not to be drunk on the premises, 65.—Reported favorably, 92.
- 44. By Senator Gibson: Requiring manufacturers to place their own names and addresses upon manufactured articles, together with a statement of the material used, 66.—Reported, favorable minority, adverse majority, 552.
- defining some of the duties of the Attorney General, district and county attorneys of this State, prohibiting the Attorney General from giving counsel and advice except to certain public officers named. 66.—Reported favorably, 90.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 743.—Reported engrossed. 803.—Received from House, 985.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 46. By Senator Bailey, by request: For the regulation of the issuance and sale of railroad securities, and providing the circumstances and manner accord-

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 - ing to which such securities may be issued and sold and how the proceeds thereof shall be appropriated, 66.—Reported adversely, 1007.
- 47. By Senator Morrow, by request:
 Making it the duty of the Attorney
 General to institute all suits and proceedings necessary to recover for the
 State of Texas all property that has
 heretofore or that may hereafter escheat and vest in the State, 66.—Reported favorably, 111.
- 48. By Senator Johnson et al.: To amend Revised Statutes providing for a better protection of the fish and oyster industry of this State, prescribing riparian rights, the prerequisites to the issuance of license to catch fish, oysters, etc. (civil bill), 66.—Reported favorably, 109.—Recommitted, 129.—Reported with request that it be referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2, 749.—Reported favorably, 1060.
- 49. By Senator McGregor: To provide for a commission to revise, digest, rewrite, simplify and publish the civil and criminal laws of the State of Texas, requiring said commission to present two bills, other than the revision bills, embodying such reforms in the civil and criminal procedure as it may deem wise and expedient, 66.—Reported favorably, 828.
- By Senator Carter: To amend the city charter of the city of Longview, Texas, 67.—Reported favorably, 124.
- 51. By Senators Vaughan and Carter:
 To prohibit falsely stating the consideration in any deed, deed of trust, mortgage or other instrument in writing, 68.—Reported favorably, 92.—Read second time, pending, 282.—Taken up, pending, 458.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed, 460.—Reported engrossed, 495.—Read third time and passed, 487.
- 52. By Senators Carter and Morrow:
 To prohibit any person from knowingly selling or giving intoxicating
 liquors to any inmate of the Texas
 Confederate Home, except under certain conditions, 67.—Reported favorably, 93.
- 53. By Senators Carter and Morrow: To prohibit any person from purchasing from the inmates of the Texas Confederate Home any article of cloth-

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 - ing furnished to said inmates by the State of Texas, 67.—Reported favorably, 90.
- Senators McGregor Vaughan: Providing for the regulation and control of hospitals maintained or established or conducted by means of funds derived from deducting from the wages of or collections from the employes of railway companies, 67.—Reported favorably, 552.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 680.-Reported engrossed, 752.—Received from House, 914.—Signed, 973.—Reported enrolled, 1002.—Message from Governor, making suggestions, 1092.—Veto message, 1204.—Senate refused to pass over Governor's veto, 1498.
- 55. By Senator Warren: Amending Criminal Code relating that after conviction of a defendant of a lower degree of offense than that for which he is indicted, that on any second or subsequent trial, the first trial shall not be considered an acquittal of the higher offense, 67.—Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 220-221.
- 56. By Senator Warren: To amend Penal Code of Texas, prohibiting betting on elections, so as to make it an offense to offer to wager or bet upon elections. 67.—Reported adversely, 220.
- 57. By Senator Johnson: To validate incorporations of towns and villages heretofore attempted to be made, by Revised Statutes of 1895, but which attempted incorporations failed to comply with, 67.—Reported favorably, 124.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 737.—Reported engrossed, 805.—Received from House, 1069.—Signed, 1155.—Reported enrolled, 1166.
- 58. By Senators Breisford and Hudspeth, by request: To provide an adequate system of laws relating to irrigation, and declaring the unappropriated waters of the State the property of the State, 68.—Ordered printed in Journal, 167.—Bill in full, 186.
- 59. By Senator Brelsford: Amending Revised Statutes, to further empower

the live stock sanitary commission of the State of Texas to protect the live stock against contagious diseases, 68.—Reported favorably, 121.—Substitute ordered printed in Journal, 591.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 930.—Reported engrossed, 1000.—Received from House with amendments, 1294.—House amendments concurred in, 1295.—Signed, 1450.—Reported enrolled, 1458.

- 60. By Senator Gibson: To authorize and empower Fannin county to issue bonds for road purposes, 73.—Reported favorably, be not printed 237.—Recommitted, 499.
- 61. By Senator McNealus et al.: To preserve, propagate and protect the wild game, wild birds and wild fowls of the State, to provide for the appointment of deputy game commissioner and to define his dutics, 73.
- 62. By Senator Carter: To provide for the payment of salaries to all district attorneys and county and precinct officials (Fee Bill), 74.—Reported with favorable substitute, 491.
- 63. By Senator Collins: Relating to the establishing charbon districts, providing that persons residing therein shall report all animals suffering with charbon or supposed to have such disease, to the county health officer who shall report same to the State Board of Health; providing for the holding of elections in any county so affected, providing for the establishment of charbon districts, 82.—Reported favorably, 207.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule read third suspended; passed, 760.—Reported engrossed, 802. House, 1294.--Received from 1402.—Reported Signed. enrolled, 1412.
- 64. By Senator Collins: To amend Revised Statutes so as to exclude grocery stores and markets from the provisions thereof, 82.—Reported adversely, 124.—Recommitted, 117.—Reported adversely, 150.
- 65. By Senator Murray: Appropriating money to erect new buildings at the State Insane Asylum at Austin, Southwestern Insane Asylum at San

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Antonio and the Epileptic Colony at Abilene; and for the erection of buildings for the care of feeble-minded children, 82.—Reported favorably, 208.—Read second time and laid on table subject to call, 446.

- 66. By Senator Vaughan: Defining the original and appellate jurisdiction of the Supreme Court and regulating practice therein, 82.—Reported favorably, 236.—Made special order, 867.
- 67. By Senator Wiley: Amending the Revised Civil Statutes, 1911, relating to guardian and ward, which relates to the duties of guardian and ward, court proceedings therein, application, disposition of funds, making of reports, etc., 82.—Reported favorably, 110.—Read second time, and laid on table subject to call, 848.—Taken up; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended: read third time and passed, 873.—Reported engrossed, 937.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1554.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 68. By Senator Darwin: To amend Revised Civil Statutes, 1911, so as to include devisees or legatees among the class of persons prohibiting from testifying in actions by or against executors, administrators or guardians, 83.—Reported favorably, 125.
- 69. By Senator Astin: Relating to Bureau of Labor Statistics, 83.—Reported favorably, 549.—Read second time, amended, and ordered engrossed, 843.— Reported engrossed, 870.— Action by which ordered engrossed rescinded; read second time, amended, and ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended, read third time and passed, 1371.— Reported engrossed, 1412.—Received from House, 1530.— Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 70. By Senator Westbrook et al: Providing for the nomination of candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States, and party political electors, and the election of delegates to the National Convention of the several political parties of the State, to be chosen by a direct preferential primary, 83.—Reported favorably, 123.—Made special order, 170.—Read second time; amended; pending, 262.—Taken up; amended; pending; 274.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 278.—Re-

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 ported engrossed, 447.—Received from
 - ported engrossed, 447.—Received from House, 1068.—Signed, 1113.—Reported enrolled, 1116.
- 71. By Senator Westbrook et al: Making it unlawful for any Senator or Representative-elect of the State of Texas to receive employment, fees, gifts, loans or compensation as officer, agent or representative from certain corporations or persons, 83.—Reported favorably, 125.— Recommitted, 117.— Reported favorably, 150.—Made special order, 501.—Taken up; amended; and failed to pass to engrossment, 859, 863.
- 72. By Senator Nugent: To amend Revised Statutes of 1911, the same being an act to protect certain accountants and laborers by adding to said Statutes such laborers performing the service of handling, hauling or transporting logs or other timber by any mode of transportation to any mill or other point for sale, manufacture or disposition, 84.—Reported favorably, 110.-Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 566.-Reported engrossed, 582 .- Read third time and passed, 678.—Received from House, 1293.— Signed, 1402.— Reported en-rolled, 1412.
- 73. By Senator Nugent: To amend Penal Code by providing for a better protection of the fish and oyster industry of the State, 84.
- 74. By Senator Johnson: Amending Acts of the Thirty-second Legislature, entitled An Act to validate certain sales of unsurveyed school lands, so as to validate certain sales in several eight-section counties and four-section counties; making further validating provisions, 84.—Reported favorably, 239.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 501.—Reported engrossed. 530.
- 75. By Senator Hudspeth: An act for the protection of persons of this State who may be injured in foreign countries, 85.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 164.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1377.—Reported engrossed, 1412.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1553.—Reported enrolled, 1559.

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- 76. By Senator Lattimore: To define loan sharks and to fix a penalty for lending money for a greater rate of interest than that is hereinafter provided, 85.—Reported favorably with amendments, 110, 1060.
- By Senator Lattimore: Regulating the sale of cocaine and other drugs, 85.—Reported favorably, 494.
- 78. By Senator Conner et al: To authorize the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company of Texas to purchase, own and operate as a part of its line the railroad of the Stephenville North and South Texas Railway Company, 85.—Reported favorable substitute by majority; adverse minority, 463, 466.
- 79. By Senator Warren: To extend the time within which and to prescribe conditions upon which domestic and foreign corporations which are now in default in payment of franchise taxes and penalties, may pay same and have their right to do business revived by extending time until the first day of September, 1913, 85.— Reported favorably, 131.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 739.—Reported engrossed, 803.—Received from House amendments, 1351.—Senate refused to concur in House amendments; requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 1381.-House grants request, 1392. Senate adopts report, 1428.—House reports adoption of report, 1444.-Signed, 1515.—Reported enrolled, 1528.
- 80. By Senator Warren: Relating to the appellate procedure in civil and criminal cases, prescribing the circumstances under which a judgment appealed from may be reversed, set aside or a new trial granted by the appellate courts of this State, 85.
- 81. By Senator Warren: Prescribing that where a defendant by the introduction of evidence puts in issue the character of the deceased, and should an issue arise as to who commenced the difficulty, it shall then be competent for the State to introduce evidence of the general character of the defendant, 86.—Reported favorably, 124.
- 82. By Senator Warren: To amend the special charter of the city of Ter-

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- 83. By Senator Townsend: Amending Revised Statutes, 1911, providing that all judgments of the several courts of this State shall bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from and after the date of the judgment, 86.—Reported favorably, 111.—Made special order, 544.
- 84. By Senators Watson and Terrell: Providing for the appointment by the Governor of a board of trustees for the Texas Confederate Home, 86.—Reported favorably, 149.—Read second time; amended; pending, 234.—Amended; pending, 235, 236.—Taken up and recommitted, 248.
- 85. By Senators Astin and Willacy: To amend Revised Civil Statutes, 1911, so as to make the separate property of the wife, the rents and revenues derived from property, whether real or personal, granted to the wife by will, deed or otherwise, with the provision that the rents and revenue derived therefrom shall be her separate property and to exempt the same from the management and control of the husband, 86.—Reported, adverse majority with substitute, adverse minority, with substitute, 252, 253.
- 86. By Senator Vaughan: Authorizing the trustees of common school districts and independent school districts to direct the time for conducting the public free schools in such districts at such time and in such number of terms as may be deemed by them for the best interest of those within the scholastic age, 86.—Reported favorably, 121.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 250.—Reported engrossed, 289.
- 87. By Senator Conner et al.: To authorize the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway Company to purchase, own and operate the railroads of the Concho, San Saba & Llano Valley Railroad Company with its franchises; and the railroad of the Texas & Gulf Railroad Company with its franchises; and the railroad of the Gulf & Interstate Railway Company with its franchises, 95.—Reported favorably, 163.—Recommitted; reported favorably, with amendments, 222.

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- By Senators Weinert and Real: Regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors and fixing the hours of opening and closing any house or place of business where intoxicating liquor is licensed to be sold (civil 9:30 closing), 95.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 255.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; passed to engrossment, 483.—Reported engrossed, 516.—Read third time and passed, 505.—Received from House with amendments, 1104.-Motion made to non-concur in House amendments and request Free Conference Committee; point of order sustained that bill had to be referred to committee; Senate rule suspended, and Free Conference Committee requested and elected, 1150.—House grants request, 1214.— Senate adopts report, 1352.—House reports adoption of report, 1352 .-Signed, 1516.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
- 89. By Senator Willacy et al.: To make an appropriation for cashier for the office of the Secretary of State for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1913, 95.—Reported favorably, 125.—Read second time; amended, and laid on table subject to call, 233.
- 90. By Senator Collins by request: To amend Penal Code so as to repeal the provision by which it is made unlawful for any person to have in his or her possession or to sell or ship any redfish more than twelve pounds in weight, 95.
- 91. By Senator Carter: To provide for the creation of a bond commissioner; providing for his duties as to the sale of bonds for counties and cities, school districts, navigation, irrigation, overflow, drainage and road districts; and all other districts now authorized by law to exist in the State, 96.—Reported favorably, 222.—Made special order, 922.—Read second time; pending, 1249.—Taken up; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1254.—Reported engrossed, 1339.
- 92. By Senator Hudspeth: Relating to exemption of the Texas employes and ex-employes of common carriers, etc., news and other companies, persons and corporations, performing service for or in connection with the operation of railways (amendment to

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 - Anti-Free Pass Act), 96.—Reported adversely, for the reason that a bill containing the same subject matter had already been reported favorably, 1006.
- 93. By Senator Brelsford: Requiring the Board of Regents of the University of Texas to establish a department of dentistry in the University, 103.
- 94. By Senator Murray et al.: Relating to protection of honey bees against foul brood and other contagious diseases, 103.—Reported favorably, 208.
- 95. By Senators Hudspeth and Johnson: To provide that purchasers of free school land in certain counties may transfer same in one-sixteenth of a section tracts or multiples thereof, 103.—Reported favorably, 239.—Made special order, 544. Read second time, and ordered engrossed, 571.—Reported engrossed, 599.—Read third time; amended, and passed, 681.—Received from House, 914.—Signed, 973.—Reported enrolled, 1001.-Veto message, 1171.
- 96. By Senator Hudspeth: To validate certain land surveys which for any reason might be deemed invalid and to authorize the Commissioner of the General Land Office to issue patents in cases otherwise valid in all respects, where certified copies of certificates have been taken out and valid relocation made thereunder, 103.
- 97. By Senator Bailey: To validate charters and all charter amendments increasing the authorized capital stock of corporations organized under the terms of Chapter 117 of the laws of the Twenty-sixth Legislature, 104.-Reported favorably, 626.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 912.—Reported engrossed, 980 .- Motion made to recall from House, but later withdrawn, 1246 .-Received from House with amendments, 1420.-House amendments concurred in, 1423.—Signed, 1515.—Reported enrolled, 1528.
- 98. By Senator Weinert et al.: Relating to and regulating the adoption of the commission form of government by cities and towns and towns and villages, 104.—Reported favorably, 124.

- - —Made special order, 245.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 279.—Reported engrossed, 447.-Received from House with amendments, 915.-House amendments concurred in, 922.—Signed, 973. -Reported enrolled, 1001.
- 99. By Senator Townsend: To punish any person who shall without good cause abandon his wife or willfully neglect or refuse to maintain or provide for her, and to punish every person who shall abandon his or her minor child or children under the age of 16 years, 104.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 149.-Read second time: committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 499.—Reported engrossed, 531.—Received from House, with amendments, 1069.—Senate refused to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 1297.—Senate adopts report, 1426.— House reports adoption of report, 1443. -Signed, 1516.—Reported enrolled,
- 100. By Senator Morrow et al: To amend the Revised Statutes, 1911, concerning the marital rights of parties, defining the separate community property of the husband and wife, 104.
- 101. By Senator Nugent et al: To appropriate the sum of \$100,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary to provide funds for the operation of the penitentiary system, 104.-Recalled and referred to Committee on Finance; reported favorably, 131.
- 102. By Senator Willacy: Creating the Bishop Independent School District, 104.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 132.
- 103. By Senator Willacy: Creating Driscoll Independent School District, 104.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 132.
- 104. By Senator Willacy: Creating the Calallen Independent School District, 105.--Reported favorably; be not printed, 132.
- 105. By Senator Townsend: To provide for the submission of specific issues of facts by the court to the jury on the trial of civil suits, and provid-

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ing that a finding of the jury upon such issue of facts shall be binding upon the trial court and upon other courts to which appeal or writ of error may be prosecuted, 105.—Reported favorably, 529.

- 106. By Senator Townsend: Requiring the charge of the court in civil cases tried in district and county court to be filed with the clerk to constitute a part of the record of the cause and regulating the manner of making objections and taking exception to the action of the court and giving such charge and giving and refusing special charges, 105.—Recalled from Judiciary Committee No. 1 and referred to Committee on State Affairs, 939.
- 107. By Senator Townsend: Regulating the manner of preparing and giving the charge of the court to the jury in civil cases tried in the district and county court, so as to provide that unintentional comment on the weight of evidence shall not be error, when the court charges the jury that if he has commented upon same it was not intentional, but through inadvertence and the jury should disregard all such comments, 105.—Reported adversely, 1003.
- 108. By Senator Townsend: An act to promote the safety of employes on railroads, 105.—Reported favorably with amendments, 549.
- 109. By Senator McNealus: Relating to receiving stolen property and providing what shall constitute a prima facie case, 105.—Reported favorably,
- 110. By Senator McNealus: To prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors in any city or town which has fixed limits in which same shall be sold outside of such limits, 110.—Reported faforably, 150.
- 111. By Senator McNealus: To amend so much of Chapter 5, Title 8 of the Criminal Code relating to charges of the court by repealing Articles 735, 736. 737 and 743 and by enacting certain articles in lieu thereof, 105 .- Reported favorably, 255.
- 112. By Senator Hudspeth: Placing Culberson county within the Eighth Supreme Judicial District and making said Culberson county a part of said 109-S

- district, 106.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 165.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 230.—Reported engrossed, 239.—Received from House, 499.—Signed, 525.—Reported enrolled, 526,
- 113. By Senator Hudspeth, by request: Authorizing the Governor to purchase the LaBahia Mission property and to authorize the acceptance from the owner of the land in Goliad county upon which Col. Fannin's men were massacred in the war for the independence of Texas: to authorize the acceptance of land from the owner of what is known as Fannin's Battlefield Ground in Goliad county and making appropriations for the improvement of the said land, 106.—Reported favorably, 751.
- 114. By Senator Vaughan: To exempt from the provisions of the general laws of Texas, relating to the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery all of those who had been for three years before said act went into effect regularly engaged in the counties of their residence, in the practice of veterinary medicine, surgery and denistry, 106.-Reported favorably, 467; read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 575.—Reported engrossed, 598.—Read third time and passed, 678.—Received from House, 1104.-Recalled from enrolling department, 1136.—Returned to House with request that it be further amended, 1151.—Received from House with amendments, 1253.—Senate concurs in House amendments, 1256 .--Signed, 1402.—Reported enrolled, 1413.
- 115. By Senator Lattimore, by request: An act for the creation of toll railroads, 106.—Reported favorably, 467.
- 116. By Senator Astin: Making necessary appropriation to provide for an agricultural exhibit at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco, Cal., in 1915, 113.
- 117. By Senator Conner: Providing seal for justice courts, 113.—Reported favorably, 528.—Read second time and failed to pass to engrossment, 920.
- 118. By Senator Conner: Amending Article 3878, Title 58, Revised Statutes 1911, 113.-Reported favorably, 529.

- 119. By Senator Murray: Defining certain classes of indemnity contracts; prescribing regulations therefor and fixing license fee, 113.—Reported adversely, 622.
- 120. By Senator Murray: To prohibit any person from maliciously, willfully or wantonly making or circulating any false statements against any civil officer or candidate for any State, county, precinct or municipal office for the purpose of injuring the character of such officer or candidate or the candidacy of any such candidate, 114.—Reported favorably, 150.—Made special order, 501.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 538, 539.—Reported engrossed, 582.
- 121. By Senator McNealus: Defining certain classes of indemnity contracts, 114.
- 122. By Senator Bailey: Amending the Revised Civil Statutes relating to the creation of corporations so as to authorize the creation of private corporations for the erection or repair of any building or improvement within twelve miles of any incorporated or unincorporated town in this State by such corporations, 114.—Reported favorably, 218.—Made special order, 458.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 484.—Reported engrossed, 495.
- 123. By Senator Bailey et al.: To extend the time within which private corporations whose main purpose is not the acquisition or ownership of land, may sell such lands as it may have acquired, to improve such lands or any portion thereof so as to render the same tillable and to utilize their corporate assets for such purposes, 114.
- 124. By Senator Townsend: Fixing the time of filing an answer in all cases where the defendant is cited by publication, 114.—Reported favorably, 285.
- 125. By Senators Gibson and Willacy:
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 and method of electing county school
 trustees, defining their duties and the
 duties of the county superintendent.
 114.—Reported favorably, 222.—Made
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 - grossed, 916.—Reported engrossed, 999.
 —Read third time and passed, 1446.
- 126. By Senator Gibson: To require applications under oath to be made for witnesses in felony cases, 115.—Reported favorably, 257.—Read second time; amendment offered; laid on table subject to call, 820.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 926.—Reported engrossed, 999.—Received from House, 1491.—Signed, 1521.—Reported enrolled, 1526.
- 127. By Senators Nugent and Gibson: Relating to the selling, bartering or giving away of examination questions for teachers' certificates, 115.—Reported favorably, 221.—Read second time, amended; ordered engrossed, 576.—Reported engrossed, 600.—Read third time and passed, 902.
- 128. By Senator Hudspeth: To provide for prospecting and developing minerals on land owned by the State of Texas or by any of the public free school fund and asylum fund, 115.—Reported favorably with amendments, 289.—Made special order, 877.—Read second time; amended; pending, 924.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 948.—Reported engrossed, 1033.—Received from House with amendments, 1471.—House amendments concurred in, 1476.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 129. By Senators Brelsford and Hudspeth: To provide that owners of public free school land purchased from the State after January 1, 1907, and prior to 1913, shall have a right to purchase the same after forfeiture in cases where land is forfeited for the non-payment of interest, 115.—Reported with favorable substitute, 287.— Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 480.—Reported engrossed, 496.—Received from House, 561.-Signed, 578.—Reported enrolled, 598. -Recalled from Governor (S. C. R. No. 9), 658.—Received from Governor, 675.—Proposed bill, 824.—Senate rescinds action on passage of bill; read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended;

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 - read third time and passed, 873, 876.

 —Reported engrossed, 938.—Received from House, 1293.—Signed, 1402.—Reported enrolled, 1413.
- individuals, co-partnerships, associations and corporations engaged in the retail of liquor of malt liquor or wholesale dealer or distributor of malt liquors as defined by the laws of the State, to file an annual report with the State Comptroller showing an ownership of property and contributions for political purposes, 115.—Reported favorably, 220.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 846.—Reported engrossed, 891.—Read third time; amended; passed, 983.
- 131. By Senator Terrell: Fixing per diem pay and mileage of the members of the Legislature, 126.—Reported favorably, 670.
- 132. By Senator Terrell: Abolishing the Eddy Independent School District, and to incorporate the Eddy Independent School District, 126.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 223.
- 133. By Senator Watson: To provide that neither husband or wife can testify against each other in any criminal action either during the time of coverture or after divorce except for offense committed by one against the other, 126.—Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 208.
- 134. By Senator Conner: To amend Article 1830, Title 37, Revised Statutes, 1911, by striking out exception 4, and adding in lieu thereof a new section, 126.—Reported favorably, 530.—Read second time and passed to engrossment, 571.—Reported engrossed, 626.—Read third time and passed, 740.—Received from House, 1530.—Signed, 1552.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 135. By Senator McGregor: Granting the municipal authorities of the city of Austin the right to establish, operate and maintain a public municipal auditorium upon certain lands and changing the designation of said land upon the city map from public square to municipal auditorium, 126.
- 136. By Senator McGregor: Granting unto municipal authorities of the city of Austin the right to establish, operate and maintain a free public li-

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 - brary upon a certain tract of land herein designated and changing the designation upon the city map from church to free public library purposes, 127.
- 137. By Senator Carter: Defining the offense of assault with a prohibited weapon, 127.—Reported favorably, 150.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 759.—Reported engrossed, 807.—Received from House, 1530.—Signed, 1552.—Reported enrolled, 1558.
- 138. By Senator Carter: To amend Article 2857, Chapter 16, Revised Statutes, adopted by the Thirty-second Legislature, adding thereto Article 2857a, 127.—Reported favorably, 528.
 - By Senator Willacy: Authorizing the construction and operation of combination bridges and dams and causeways and roadways over and across any natural stream, arm of the Gulf of Mexico or inlet thereof, or any of the salt water bays wholly within the limits of the State, for the purpose of providing a causeway, road or highway for various vehicles, pedestrians, railroads and for every other character of inland transportation, 127 .-Reported favorably, 553.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 888.—Reported engrossed, 941.—Received from House, with amendments. 1529.—House amendments concurred in, 1531.-Signed, 1553.—Reported enrolled, 1556.
- 140. By Senator Willacy: To encourage irrigation, mining, milling, manufacturing, the supplying of water to or the construction of waterworks for cities and towns and stock raising; providing for the construction of certain roadways, dams, etc.; authorizing the sale of the islands of the arms of the Gulf of Mexico, and the salt water bays and certain lands under and adjoining the shallow waters of the arms of the Gulf, 127.
- 141. By Senator Townsend: Prescribing what the pleadings of plaintiff and defendant in cases of trespass to try title shall contain, 127.—Reported favorably, 529.—Read second time; amended; laid on table subject to call, 1200.

- 142. By Senator Townsend: Requiring railroads, machine shops and other concerns manufacturing or repairing cars to provide all tracks with derailing devices, 128.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 256.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1153.—Reported engrossed, 1224.—Received from House, 1503.—Signed, 1521.—Reported enrolled, 1558.
- 143. By Senator Bailey: Relating to application for continuance by defendant and to repeal Article 609, Chapter 4. Title 7, Code of Criminal Procedure, relating to subsequent application by defendant for continuance, 128.—Reported adversely, 1005.
- 144. By Senator Murray, by request: Creating the Fish and Oyster Commission of Texas, to be composed of five commissioners; defining their powets, etc., 128.—Reported with request that it be referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2, 749.—Reported favorably, 1060.
- 145. By Senator Conner: Relating to the salary of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court and the Court of Criminal Appeals, 128.—Reported favorably, 528.
- 146. By Senators Nugent and Collins:
 To provide for the organization of a
 Court of Civil Appeals within the
 Ninth Supreme Judicial District, 128.
 —Reported favorably, 165.—Read
 second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 904.
 —Reported engrossed, 980.—Received
 from House, with amendments, 1351.
 —House amendments concurred in,
 1385.—Signed, 1452.—Reported enrolled, 1458.
- 147. By Senator Collins: Making appropriation to pay the expense of a survey of the King's Highway and erecting suitable monuments to mark the same, 128.—Reported favorably, 1059.
- 148. By Senator Johnson: To allow an unorganized or disorganized county to be organized or reorganized by petition signed of not less than fifty qualified voters residing in said county, 128.—Reported favorably, 549.

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- 149. By Senators Watson and Bailey: Fixing the salaries of district judges, 129.—Reported favorably, 460.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 886, 887.—Reported engrossed, 938.
- 150. By Senator Watson: Fixing the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court, the Court of Criminal Appeals and the Courts of Civil Appeals, 129. -Reported favorably, 463.-Made special order, 541.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 568 .-Reported engrossed, 583.—Read third time and passed, 678.—Received from House, with amendments, 1069.—Senate refused to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Con-Committee, 1100.—House ference grants request, 1134.-Senate requests withdrawal of committee, 1135 .-House grants request, 1148.—Senate concurs in amendments, 1148.—Signed, 1218.--Reported enrolled, 1225.
- 151. By Senators Carter and Collins: To prohibit foreign corporations from removing suits against them to the district courts of the United States, 134.—Reported favorably, 491.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed. 576.—Reported engrossed, 599.—Read third time and passed, 740.
- 152. By Senators Hudspeth and Real:
 To create for each county in the State
 a lunacy commission consisting of
 three physicians, 134.—Recalled and
 referred to Committee on State Asylums, 167.
- 153.—By Senators Weinert and Mc-Gregor: Creating Buda Independent Consolidated County Line School District in Hays and Travis counties, 134.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 222.
- 154. By Senator Greer: To amend Article 696, Chapter 1 of Title 12, Revised Criminal Statutes as adopted by the Thirty-second Legislature, 134.—Reported favorably, 236.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 815.—Constitutional rule suspended: read third time and passed, 818.—Reported engrossed, 856.—Received from House, 361.—Signed, 1450.—Reported enrolled, 1458.
- 155. By Senators Darwin and Vaughan: Providing for the regulation and su-

pervision of every corporation whether incorporated or unincorporated which shall sell or negotiate for sale of any stocks, bonds or other evidences of property or interest in itself or any other company where any part of the proceeds are used directly or indirectly for the payment of any commission incidental to the organization or promotion for other expenses incidental to the organization of such company, 134.—Reported with favorable substitute, 647.—Read second committee report adopted; time: amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1399.—Reported engrossed, 1457.—Motion made to recall from House, 1437.

- 156. By Senator Kauffman: Relating to the offense of swindling, 135.—Reported, adverse majority; favorable minority, 221.
- 157. By Senator Terrell: Providing for the admission of patients into and the discharge of patients from the asylums and making the law applicable to habitual drumkards; providing for parole of habitual drumkards and the time confined in the asylums, 135.—Reported favorably, 209.
- 158. By Senator Townsend: Prescribing that not more than one person at the same time shall be permitted to occupy any compartment, voting booth or place prepared for a voter, prohibiting an election judge, clerk, officers or any other person from assisting any voter in preparing his ballot, 135.—Reported favorably, 256.
- 159. By Senators Conner and Lattimore: To permit the issuance of State first grade certificate to persons who have done certain required work in the standard junior colleges of Texas, 135.

 —Reported favorably, 449.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 497.—Reported engrossed, 531.—Received from House, 914.—Signed, 973.—Reported enrolled, 1001.—Veto message, 1085.—Senate refused to pass over Governor's veto, 1497.
- 160. By Senator McNealus, by request: Fixing the salary of the county attorney of Dallas county, creating the office of county detective, etc., 135.—Reported adversely, 1003.

- 161. By Senator McNealus: Providing that whenever any foreign corporation doing business in this State shall remove or make application to remove any cause from the State court to any Federal court of the United States, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of State to revoke the license of such corporation, and where any such application is made or any cause removed, it shall be thereafter unlawful for any county, city or town to grant any rights to said corporation, 135.—Reported favorably, 286.
- 162. By Senators Hudspeth and Brelsford: Incorporating and creating the Rankin Independent School District in Upton county, 135.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 223.
- 163. By Senators Hudspeth and Brelsford: To reorganize the Thirty-second, Seventieth and Seventy-second Judicial Districts; to attach the unorganized counties of Cochran and Hockley to Lubbock county for judicial and other purposes; to attach the unorganized county of Loving to Reeves county for judicial purposes; to attach the unorganized county of Crane to Ector county for judicial purposes, 136.-Reported favorably, and be not printed, 165.--Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 229.—Reported engrossed, 239.-Received from House, 234.—Signed, 251.—Reported enrolled, 290.
- 164. By Senator Astin: To increase the limits of the Bremond Independent School District, 136.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 223.
- 165. By Senator Warren: Relating to the admission of patients into the insane asylums of Texas; providing for the trial of persons alleged to be insane by a medical commission to be appointed by the county judge, 136.—Recalled and rereferred, 167, 210.—Reported favorably, 508.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 590.—Reported engrossed, 654.—Received from the House with amendments, 1529.—House amendments concurred in, 1533.—Signed, 1553.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 166. By Senator Morrow: Relating to charges and instructions to juries in

- cases of the grade felony, so as to provide that the charge in such cases shall be read to the jury before the argument begins, 136.—Reported favorably, 255.—Made special order, 532.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 895.—Reported engrossed, 942.—Received from House, 1487.—Signed, 1520.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
- 167. By Senator Morrow: Relating to the collection of taxes heretofore and that may hereafter be levied, making such taxes a lien on the land taxed, establishing and continuing such land and providing for the sale and conveyance of the land delinquent for taxes since 1901, 136.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 781.
- 168. By Senator Morrow, by request:
 To regulate the practice of dentistry in the State of Texas; and to provide for a board of dental examiners, 136.

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- 169. By Senator Darwin: "Abolishing what is known as "The rule in Shelley's case," 137.—Reported adversely, 1004.
- 170. By Senator Conner: To amend Articles 7695 and 7697, Title 126, Revised Statutes, 1911, 137.—Reported favorably, 528.
- 171. By Senator Conner: To amend Articles 3247 and 3248, Title 52, Revised Statutes, 1911, 137.—Reported favorably, 529.
- 172. By Senator Greer: To authorize the St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company of Texas to own and operate as a part of its line the railroad of the Eastern Texas Railroad Company, 137.—Reported favorably by minority; favorable substitute by minority. 463, 466.
- 173. By Senators Collins and Carter:
 To authorize the Texas and New Orleans Railroad Company to purchase,
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- 174. By Senator McNealus: Relating to the duties of railroad agents, 137.

 —Reported favorably, 578.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 741.—Reported engrossed, 802.—Received from House, 1474.— Signed, 1519.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
- 175. By Senator McNealus: Relating to railroad train dispatchers, 137.—Reported favorably, 578.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 742.—Reported engrossed, 802.—Received from House, 1474.—Signed, 1519.—Reported enrolled, 1526.
- 176. By Senator Vaughan: Prescribing penalties against railroads for violating the rules of the Railroad Commission, relating to the furnishing of cars and the interchange of cars between railroad companies, and to the speed at which freight shall move between points within this State, 152.—Reported favorably, 490.
- 177. By Senators Wiley and Cowell: Relating to fraudulent disposition of mortgaged property, 153.—Reported favorable majority; adverse minority, 515.—Read second time; minority report adopted, 574, 575.
- 178. By Senator Collins: To regulate the presentation and collection of claims for personal service or for labor performed or for material furnished or for goods or wares or merchandise or for overcharges in freight or baggage or express or for any claim for loss or damage to freight or baggage or express or for stock killed or injured, by any person or corporation against any person or corporation doing business in this State, 153.
- 179. By Senators Morrow and Warren:
 To amend Penal Code defining murder,
 153.—Reported favorably, 220.—Made
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 time and passed, 727.—Received from
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- 180. By Senator Paulus et al.: To repeal Chapter 18 of the General Laws of the Thirty-first Legislature relating to fire insurance companies (known

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 - as the repeal of the fire insurance rating board law), 153.—Reported favorable majority; adverse minority, 751.—Read second time; majority committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed, 1052.—Reported engrossed, 1088.—Read third time and passed, 1234.
- 181. By Senator Wiley: Fixing fees of notaries public for protesting bills or notes, issuing notice, giving certificates, taking acknowledgments, making copies, depositions and administering oaths, 153.—Reported favorably, 597.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 1247.—Reported engrossed, 1337.—Read third time and passed, 1398.
- 182. By Senator Gibson, by request:
 Amending the Lamar county local road law, 153.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 236.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 459.—Reported engrossed, 495.—Received from House, with amendments, 659.—House amendments concurred in, 727.—Signed, 798.—Reported enrolled, 807.
- 183. By Senator Hudspeth: Creating a State School of Mines and Metallurgy for the purpose of teaching the scientific knowledge of mining metallurgy, 153.—Reported favorably, 289.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 928.—Reported engrossed, 1000.—Received from House, 1294.—Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 184. By Senator Hudspeth: For the relief of railway corporations having charters granted or amended since the first day of January, 1892, and which have failed or about to fail to construct their roads or any part thereof within the required time, 153.—Reported favorably, 255.
- 185. By Senator Hudspeth: To provide for the eradication of sheep scab within the State, 153.—Reported favorably, 467.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1245.—Reported engrossed, 1338.—Received from House, with amendments, 1530.—House amendments concurred

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 - in, 1531.—Signed, 1554.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 186. By Senator Johnson: To increase the civil jurisdiction of the county court of Armstrong county, 167.
- 187. By Senators Nugent and Cowell: To provide for the establishment and maintenance of a State training school and home for feeble minded persons of Texas, 167.—Reported favorably, 508.
- 188. By Senator Astin: To authorize the sterilization of a certain class of criminals, lunatics and epileptics and persons with a hereditary tendency to congenital diseases of mind or body who are now or may hereafter be confined to any eleemosynary or penal institutions, 167.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 513.
- 189. By Senator McGregor: Authorizing the establishment of county hospitals and dispensaries; providing for elections for bond issues for erection of, 167.—Reported favorably, 494.—Read second time, amended and laid on table subject to call, 567.
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- 198. By Senator Bailey: Conferring on corporations the power to borrow money in excess of the amount of their authorized capital stock, 211.-Reported favorably, 651.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 901.—Reported engrossed, 941.
- 199. By Senators Warren and Vaughan: Providing that the age of consent on the part of the female in cases of rape shall be raised from 15 to 16 years, 211.—Reported favorably, 256. -Made special order, 1041.
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 - 203. By Senators Darwin and Astin: Fixing the number of members constituting the governing board of the University, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the College of Industrial Arts for women and the State Normal Schools, 211.—Reported favorably, 448.—Read second time: amended: ordered engrossed, 575.—Reported engrossed, 600.—Read third time and passed, 867.—Received from House, with amendments, 1422. — House amendments concurred in, 1463.-Signed, 1520.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
 - 204. By Senator Collins: Defining and creating the occupation of contracting stevedores, 212.-Reported favorably, 256.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 566.—Reported engrossed, 583.—Read third time and passed, 679.—Received from House, 1351.— Signed, 1448.—Reported enrolled, 1460,
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- 211. By Senator Lattimore: To amend Article 302, Chapter 2, Title 7 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 226. -Reported favorably, 256.-Made special order, 858.—Read second time; amended; pending, 1235.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed, 1241, 1242.—Reported engrossed, 1337.-Read third time; pending, 1464.—Vote by which bill was ordered engrossed rescinded, 1467.
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- 213. By Senator Murray et al.: Granting to Green & Welhausen of Shiner, Lavaca county, Texas, and Philip Welhausen of Yoakum, Lavaca county, Texas, power, privileges and authority to erect, build, construct, maintain and operate two dams across the Guadalupe river in De Witt county or Gonzales county, 226.-Reported favorably, 287.—Ordered not printed, 262.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 570.-Reported engrossed, 599 .- Read third time and passed, 683.
- 214. By Senator Watson: To require that all agreements to extend the time of payment of promissory notes or other written obligations to pay money, to be valid, shall be in writing, 226.—Reported favorably, 529.
- 215. By Senator Conner: To fix and define the limitation of time wherein suits for taxes may be brought and to declare that taxes for the recovery of which suit is not brought within such time shall be conclusively presumed to have been paid, 226.—Re-

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- 216. By Senator Willacy: Making appropriations to pay the salaries of officers and employes and other expenses maintaining and conducting the several eleemosynary institutions of the State of Texas, 226.
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- 218. By Senator Warren: Prescribing the method of procuring charters for banks, trust companies, and bank and trust companies, 227.—Reported favorably, 623.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended, 848.—Read third time and passed, 850.—Reported engrossed, 870. -Received from House, 1530.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 219. By Senators Warren and Hudspeth: Relating to the incorporation, operation and supervision of the State banks, trust companies, savings banks and bank and trust companies. 227.-Reported favorably, 622.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1388.—Reported engrossed. 1410.—Received from House, 1529.— Signed, 1553.—Reported enrolled, 1557.
- 220. By Senator Johnson et al.: To authorize the qualified voters of any county or political subdivision to determine by an election whether or not pool rooms or pool halls shall be prohibited in such county or political subdivision thereof, 240.—Reported favorably, 285.—Made special order, 538.— Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 571.—Reported engrossed, 654.—Read third time and passed, 820. -Received from House, 1351.-Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 221. By Senator Lattimore: To make it unlawful to sell, barter or exchange spirituous, vinous and malt liquors or medicated bitters in quantities of one gallon or less in any place in this State other than a legally licensed sa-

- loon, 240.—Reported favorably. 285.—Made special order, 544, 858.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 572.—Reported engrossed, 599.—Read third time; pending, 1010.—Taken up and engrossment vote rescinded; amended; ordered engrossed, 1020.—Reported engrossed, 1055.—Called up as special order; point of order made that it was not special order, 1043.—Point of order overruled, 1047.—Read third time and passed, 1047.
- 222. By Senator Nugent et al.: To prohibit the practice of hazing in the State educational institutions, 240.—Reported favorably, 493.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 821.—Reported engrossed, 857.—Received from House; signed, 1515.—Reported enrolled, 1526.
- 223. By Senator Bailey: To require any person, firm or corporation before laying out or platting any addition within seven miles of an incorporated city or town of 50,000 or more inhabitants to first submit the plats of said addition county in which the land to be platted to the commissioners court of the lies for their approval or disapproval before the said plat shall be admitted to record, 241.—Reported favorably; be printed in Journal, 1218.
- 224. By Senator Collins: To provide for the taxation for any lease held for mineral purposes, but not being used for such purposes, 241.
- 225. By Senator Collins: Making it compulsory to provide adequate fire escape upon all buildings of over two stories in height, wherein five or more persons shall be assembled as guests or for employment, 241.—Reported favorably, 285.
- 226. By Senator Collins: To provide for the health, safety and comfort of employes in factories, mercantile establishments, mills and workshops or other establishments in this State, 241.

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- 227. By Senator Darwin: To provide for the appointment of commissioners to investigate and report upon the system of rural credit and agricultural co-operative societies in use in various European countries, 241.—Reported favorably, 801.—Read second time;

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- 228. By Senator Hudspeth et al.: Relating to the Alamo property in the city of San Antonio, which belongs to the State, giving custody of same to the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, under the control of the Governor, 241.—Reported, favorable majority, with minority substitute, 462.—Made special order, 565.
- 229. By Senator Kauffman: Creating and establishing the Angleton Independent School District, in Brazoria county, Texas, 241.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 448.
- 230. By Senator Murray: Defining certain classes of indemnity contracts, 241.—Reported favorably, 622.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 836.—Reported engrossed, 857.—Received from House, with amendments, 1293.—House amendments concurred in, 1301.—Signed, 1402.—Reported enrolled, 1412.
- 231. By Senator Willacy: To create and establish the county of Ross, 260.
- 232. By Senator Willacy: Authorizing the formation of corporations for the purpose of constructing, building, acquiring, owning, operating and maintaining toll roads in the State of Texas, 260.—Reported favorably, 852.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1252.—Reported engrossed, 1335.—Received from House, 1361.—Signed, 1450.—Reported enrolled, 1460.
- 233. By Senator Johnson: Amending Slaton Independent School District in Lubbock county, 260.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 448.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 456.—Reported engrossed, 462.—Read third time, and passed, 483.—Received from House, 949.—Signed, 974.—Reported enrolled.
- 234. By Senator Hudspeth: Relating to damages and attorney's fees recoverable against life and health insurance companies and to extend said article to

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- 235. By Senator Collins: To render effective appeal bonds and recognizances when cases are finally passed upon by the Court of Criminal Appeals, 261.—Reported favorably, 597.
- 236. By Senator Kauffman: To provide for the punishment of the parents of children who abandon them or neglect or refuse to provide proper home, care, food and clothing for them, 261.—Reported favorably, 514.
- 237. By Senator Kauffman: To safeguard and improve the health of the school children of Texas, 261.—Reported favorable majority, adverse minority, 494.
- 238. By Senator Watson et al: To validate all instruments proved or acknowledged before any woman who was commissioned as a notary public, 261.

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- 239. By Senator McNealus: Authorizing the formation of corporations for the construction and operation of interurban electric, gas or gasoline, denatured alcohol or naphtha motor railways, with power to own, construct and operate union depots and office buildings, 261.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 579.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 816.—Constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 819.—Reported engrossed, 856.—Received from House. 1069.—Signed. 1156.—Reported enrolled, 1166.
- 240. By Senators Hudspeth and Kauffman: Requiring the State Health Department to disseminate information concerning the cause, nature and extent of communicable disease, 261.—Reported favorably, 494.
- 241. By Senators Nugent and Collins: To prohibit breweries and other manufacturers of alcoholic, fermented, malt, spirituous and vinous liquors, 261.—Reported favorably, 514.

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- 243. By Senator Johnson: To apportion the State of Texas into senatorial districts, 439.
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- 245. By Senator Astin: To erect a monument to the memory of the soldiers and veterans of the Mexican war in the Capitol grounds, 439.—Reported favorably, 646.
- 246. By Senator Lattimore: To define, regulate and control fraternal beneficiary societies, 439.—Reported favorably, 623.—Read second time; pending, 1026.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed: constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1041.—Reported engrossed. 1055.—Received from House, with amendments, 1361.—House amendments cocurred in, 1387.—Signed, 1510.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
- 247. By Senator Lattimore: Prescribing the fees to be paid to the Secretary of State by mutual building and loan associations, or either, and certain foreign corporations, 439.
- 248. By Senator Weinert: To provide for acquiring and acceptance of title from the city of Gonzales, Texas, to about 150 acres of land, situated in Gonzales county, Texas, 440.—Reported favorably, 749.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1246.—Reported engrossed, 1336.—Received from House, 1432.— Signed, 1515.— Reported enrolled, 1526.
- 249. By Senator Weinert: Granting to the Guadalupe Water Power Company now proposing to construct five (5) dams across the Guadalupe river, in

Guadalupe county, Texas, the power, privilege and authority to erect, build, construct, maintain and operate five dams across the Guadalupe river, in Guadalupe county, Texas, 440.—Withdrawn from committee and rereferred, 497.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 513.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 686.—Reported engrossed, 753.

- 250. By Senator Morrow: Relating to road superintendents; providing for an election to determine whether or not a road superintendent shall be employed, 440.—Reported favorably, 511.
- 251. By Senators Morrow and Nugent: To regulate the operation of pool and billiard halls and tables for profit; imposing an occupation tax upon persons, firms, corporations and associations of persons pursuing such business occupation, 440.
- 252. By Senator Brelsford: Providing that certain corporations may obtain charters or have their charters amended so as to include two or more purposes, 440.—Reported favorably, 750.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 1234.—Reported engrossed, 1336.—Read third time and passed, 1303.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1552.—Reported enrolled, 1558.
- 253. By Senator Taylor: Creating and incorporating the Clifton Independent School District in Bosque county, 440.

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- 254. By Senators Real and Weinert: To amend Article 4992, Title 73 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1911, 440.
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- 257. By Senator Lattimore: To amend Revised Criminal Statutes so as to make same conform to other laws, making act cumulative, 451.—Reported favorably, 514.
- 258. By Senator Conner: Authorizing the acknowledgment of the application by any officer in a county authorized to issue oaths, 451.—Reported favorably, 529.
- 259. By Senator Conner: Amending Revised Statutes in reference to judgments in the Courts of Civil Appeals, 451.—Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 782.
- 260. By Senator Conner: Relating to judgments in the district and county courts, 451.—Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 781.
- 261. By Senator Collins: To regulate the employment of children in certain occupations, and to provide for the issue of certificates of employment, 451.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 579.
- 262. By Senator Gibson: Regulating life insurance companies transacting business in this State, 452.—Withdrawn from calendar, 789.
- 263. By Senator Astin: Providing that counties having a population of 15,000 or less shall not be affected by any of the provisions of the fee bill, 452.—Reported favorably, 851.
- 264. By Senator Carter: Relating to the transferring of indictments charging a misdemeanor over which the district courts of this State have no jurisdiction to the county and justices courts, 452.—Reported favorably, 597.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 903.—Reported engrossed, 942.
- 265. By Senator Hudspeth et al.: To establish and maintain a State school

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- 266. By Senator Hudspeth: Relating to unrecorded brands on animals; providing that same shall not be evidence of ownership thereof, 452.—Reported favorably, 597.
- 267. By Senator Hudspeth: Relating to the regulation of the butcher business, and to detection of persons illegally handling and butchering animals, 452.
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- 269. By Senator McGregor et al.: Extending the powers of sanitariums as to allow the ownership of real estate, hotels and bath houses, 452.—Reported favorably, 494.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 568.—Reported engrossed, 582.—Read third time and passed, 816.—Received from House, 1069.—Signed, 1113.—Reported enrolled, 1116.
- 270. By Senator Weinert et al.: To provide for the indeterminate sentence of persons convicted of certain felonies, 453.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1277.
- 271. By Senator Warren: Authorizing Kaufman county to issue bonds for

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- 272. By Senator Murray: To permit foreign life insurance companies to engage exclusively in a loan business without being subject to the occupation tax for the years they have ceased to do business in this State, 453.—Reported adversely, 1132.
- 273. By Senator Greer: Making appropriations to pay the mileage and per diem of the presidential electors of Texas for the year 1913, 453.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 490.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 498.—Reported engrossed, 530.—Received from House, 833.—Signed, 850.—Reported enrolled, 871.
- 274. By Senator Willacy: Defining the authority of the State of Texas, in addition to all other authorities, over railroads engaged in transportation of intrastate commerce in this State, 453.
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- 276. By Senator Lattimore: To prevent the giving of bogus checks, 479.—Reported favorably, 514.
- 277. By Senator Lattimore: Granting any person who has filed on any public land and who has been compelled to defend a lawsuit to obtain title to and possession of said land because of an erroneous award of same, to an adverse party by the General Land Office, 479.

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- 278. By Senator Gibson et al.: amend Revised Civil Statutes relating to the office of county superintendent of public instruction, providing for the election of such superintendent by the county board of education, 479.—Reported favorably, 581.
- 279. By Senator Westbrook, by request: To amend Chapter 2 of Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Thirtyfirst Legislature, requiring persons engaged in compressing cotton to so bind tie out all bales of cotton so that no bale so compressed shall be delivered to any railroad company or other common carrier, unless the same is free from dangerously exposed ends of bands or exposed or any obtruding dangerous parts of ties, buckles or splices used in tying or baling such bale, 497.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 551.
- 280. By Senator Westbrook: Providing for preferential primary elections for recommending applicant for postoffice, 519.—Reported favorable majority; adverse minority, 550.—Read second time, minority (adverse) report adopted, 886.
- 281. By Senator Johnson: Establishing a quarantine line across the State identical with that now prescribed by law for the prevention of in hogs, etc., 519.—Reported favorably, 596.—Made special order, 868.—Failed to pass to engrossment, 929.-Vote reconsidered, and motion spread on Journal, 929.
- 282. By Senator McGregor et al.: Creating the State Bureau of Child and Animal Protection, 519.—Reported favorably, 801.
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 - 290. By Senator Townsend: Fixing the salary of the Prison Commissioners and providing for their place of residence, 520.—Withdrawn and re-re-ferred, 1010.—Reported favorably, 1059.
 - 291. By Senator Hudspeth: Providing for the protection of the wild game, wild fowl and wild birds of this State, providing that sheriffs and deputy sheriffs shall be ex-officio game wardens, 520.—Reported favorably, 651.
 - 292. By Senator Hudspeth: vent the taking and using bicycles, automobiles and other motor vehicles, and the theft of same or any part thereof, etc., 520.—Reported favorably, 652.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1399.—Reported engrossed, 1457.—Received from House, amendments, 1500. — House amendments concurred in, 1508.-Signed, 1552.—Reported enrolled, 1558.
 - 293. By Senator Townsend: Relating to the transfer by the Prison Commission of persons convicted in the various courts of the State by sheriffs of the State, 520.-Withdrawn and re-referred, 1010. - Reported favorably, 1059.
 - 294. By Senator Weinert: To incorporate the New Braunfels Independent

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- 295. By Senator Willacy: Authorizing San Patricio county to issue bonds for road purposes, 533.—Reported favorably, be not printed. 553.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 570.—Reported engrossed, 598.—Read third time and passed, 685.—Received from House, 950.—Signed, 1113.—Reported enrolled, 1116.
- 296. By Senator Willacy and all members of the Finance Committee: Making appropriations for deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1913; and making additional emergency appropriations, 533.—Reported favorably, 582.
- 297. By Senator Murray: Making it a criminal offense for any person, pursuing the business of peddler to refuse to leave the premises of any person when so ordered to leave by the person occupying the said premises, 533.—Reported favorably, 652.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1051.—Reported engrossed, 1088.—Received from House, 1361.—Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 298. By Senator Bailey: Authorizing cities to extend the distance with reference to navigable streams from 2,500 feet to 25 miles for the purpose of navigation, wharfage, etc., 533.—Reported favorably, 551.—Read second time and made special order, 660.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 758.—Reported engrossed, 805.—Received from House, 986.—Signed, 1026.—Reported enrolled, 1033.
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- 305. By Senator Murray: Providing that when the people of any county vote on local option and it is defeated, that an election may be held immediately, by proper petition to the commissioners court to determine whether or not the sale of liquors shall be confined to unbroken packages and the drinking of same be prohibited on the premises where sold, 562.
- 306. By Senator Wiley: Prohibiting carnal intercourse of a father with his son's wife, 562.—Reported favorably, 651.
- 307. By Senator Wiley: Defining the term "adultery" so as to eliminate the word "habitual," 562.—Reported favorably, 651.
- 308. By Senator Brelsford: To prevent compulsory prostitution of women, 562.—Reported favorably, 853.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed, 903.—Reported engrossed; vote by which bill was ordered engrossed re-

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- 309. By Senator Brelsford: To exempt from taxation buildings and other property owned and operated by the Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association where such property is used for religious work only, 750.—Reported favorably, 562.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 898.—Reported engrossed, 942.—Read third time and passed, 960.—Received from House, 1299.— Signed, 1401.—Reported engoled, 1412.
- : 10. By Senator Johnson: Creating the Lakeview Independent School District in Hall county, Texas, 562.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 581.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 687.—Reported engrossed, 752.—Received from House, 951.—Signed, 993.—Reported enrolled, 1000.
- 511. By Senator Johnson: Creating the Roaring Springs Independent School District in Motley county, Texas, 563.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 581.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 688.—Reported engrossed. 652.—Received from House, 951.—Signed, 993. Reported enrolled, 1001.
- 312. By Senator Johnson: Amending the election law relative to contests in primary elections, 563.
- 313. By Senator Nugent: To prevent filing on as part of the public domain, surveying and issuing patents to land, 563.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 1002.
- 314. By Senator Nugent: To prohibit any retail dealer in intoxicating liquors from locating his place of business within two miles of any local option line or boundary of any territory in which local option is in force unless the same shall be within the corporate limits of an incorporated city or town. 563.—Reported favorably, 651.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 923.—Reported engrossed, 999.—Read third time and passed, 1024.

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- 315.—By Senator Nugent: To authorize and empower the State Normal Schools Board of Regents of this State to acquire by purchase or condemnation lands for sites on which to erect and maintain buildings and for other uses of the respective schools, 563.—Reported favorably, 580.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1046.—Reported engrossed, 1088.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1559.
- 316. By Senators Lattimore and ('owell: To forbid and prevent the issuance of tax receipts for current taxes when there are unpaid back taxes, 563.—Reported favorably, 671.

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- 317. By Senator Cowell: To amend Article 1133 of Code of Criminal Procedure by adding a proviso thereto, 563.—Reported favorably, 746.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 906.—Reported engrossed, 979.
- 318. By Scnator Cowell, by request: Defining slander, 563.—Reported favorably, 652.
- 319. By Senator Kauffman: To provide for the establishment and maintenance of an agricultural and experiment Station at Alta Loma, Texas, 564.—Reported favorably, 782.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 919.—Reported engrossed, 980.
- 320. By Senator Darwin: To reorganize the Fifth and Seventh Judicial Districts and create the Seventy-third Judicial District, 564.—Reported favorably, 704.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 797.—Reported engrossed, 829.—Received from House, 1361.—Signed, 1448.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 321. By Senator Morrow: Repealing the law requiring the assignment of error in civil cases and providing that motion for a new trial in such cases shall constitute the assignments of error, 564.—Reported favorably, 597.

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 - -Received from House, 1487.—Signed, 1520.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
- 322. By Senator Morrow: To prohibit corporations created for the purpose of constructing and maintaining magnetic, telegraph or telephone line to set their poles, etc., across any public road or street without first obtaining permission so to do, 564.—Reported with favorable substitute, 1008.
- 323. By Senator Collins: Fixing the fees and commission allowed executors and administrators, 564.
- 324. By Senator Collins: To provide for the creation of farmers' county public libraries, 564.—Reported favorably, 934.
- 325. By Senator Collins: To prohibit drinking intoxicating liquors on any motor car or street car for the use of passengers; or in any public place in this State, 564.—Reported favorably, 854.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and 1258.—Reported engrossed, passed, 1338.
- 326. By Senator Collins: To amend Article 909 of the Penal Code so as to repeal in part the provision in said article by which it is made unlawful for any person to have in his or her possession or to sell or ship any redfish more than twelve pounds in weight, 564.
- 327. By Senator Watson: Amending Article 4790 of Chapter 3 of Title 71, Revised Civil Statutes, 1911, 564.-Reported favorably, 1132.
- 328. By Senator Watson: To amend Article 1004, Revised Statutes of 1911, 565.—Reported favorably, 372.
- 329. By Senator Lattimore: Regulating the granting of divorces and decrees of separation, 565 .- Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority,
- 330. By Senator McGregor: To amend General Laws of the Thirty-second Legislature relating to the establishment of two colonies for the treatment of persons suffering from tuberculosis, 110-S

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 - 565.—Reported favorably, 622.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 858 .--Reported engrossed, 891.—Received from House, 1362.—Signed, 1450.— Reported enrolled, 1458.
- 331. By Senators Lattimore and Me-Nealus: To amend Revised Civil Statutes relating to local option, 565 .-Reported favorably, 853.
- 332. By Senator Collins: To create the South Park Independent School District, 572.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 706.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 688.—Reported engrossed, 753. —Received from House, with amendments, 951.—House amendments concurred in, 959.-Signed, 993.-Reported enrolled, 1001.
- 333. By Senator Willacy: Authorizing Nucces county to issue bonds for the purpose of constructing causeways, bridges and roads, 572 .- Reported favorably; be not printed, 628.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 689; reported engrossed, 753. -Received from House, 951.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 334. By Senator Willacy: To authorize the Corpus Christi Ice & Electric Company to purchase the Peoples' Light Company; granting to the former all the rights and privileges of the latter, 573.
- 335. By Senators Lattimore and Townsend: Defining the duties of the district judge and the Comptroller of Public Accounts in examining, auditing and approving all bills and accounts against the State for fees and salaries in felony cases in favor of witnesses and certain officers, 573 .-Reported favorably, 854.—Read second time; amended; laid on the table subject to call, 989.
- 336. By Senator Gibson: Granting to Fannin county a local road law, 573. -Reported favorably; be not printed, 627.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed: constitutional rule suspended; read

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- certain powers upon the commissioners courts of the various counties to appropriate and use any sum of money not exceeding \$2000 per annum for farmers' co-operative demonstration work, in their respective counties, 573.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 582.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 919.—Reported engrossed, 979.
- 338. By Senator Hudspeth: To reorganize the Thirty-eighth, the Fifty-first, Sixty-third and Seventieth Judicial Districts; and to create the Seventy-fifth Judicial District, 574.—Reported favorably, 704.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 865.—Reported engrossed, 937.—Received from House, 1362.—Signed, 1452.—Reported enrolled, 1460.
- 339. By Senator Hudspeth: To create a more efficient road system for Tom Green county, Texas, 574.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 627.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 690; Reported engrossed, 753.—Received from House, 950.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 340. By Senator Willacy: Making appropriations to pay salaries of judges and for support of the judicial department of the State government for two years beginning September 1, 1913, 574.—Reported favorably, 801.
- 341. By Senator Johnson: Creating a more efficient road system for Wichita county, 574.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 627.5—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 690.—Reported engrossed, 751.—Received from House, 951.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 342. By Senator Conner: Authorizing the sale and conveyance by cities and towns of public squares or parks and providing for the investment of the

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 - proceeds of such sale, 574.—Reported favorably, 653.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 795.—Reported engrossed, 829.—Received from House, with amendments, 1068.—Senate refuses to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 1095.—House grants request, 1101. Senate adopts report, 1320.—House reports adoption of report, 1352.—Signed, 1448.—Reported enrolled, 1460.
- 343. By Senator Kauffman: Creating a more efficient road system for Matagorda county, 588.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 628.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 691.—Reported engrossed, 753.—Received from House, 951.—Signed, 993.—Reported enrolled, 1000.
- 344. By Senator McNealus, by request: Creating a Child Welfare Commission, 588.
- 345. By Senator Warren: Providing that if any person shall falsely assume or pretend to be a minister of the gospel, Jewish Rabbi, judge of the district or county court, justice of the peace or other judicial or ministerial officer, and while so pretending to act as such shall perform a pretended or mock marriage ceremony shall be guilty of a felony, 588.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 651.
- 346. By Senator Lattimore: Creating a special road law for Tarrant county, 588.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 628.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 693.—Reported engrossed, 753.—Recalled from House, 836.—Received from House, 839.
- 347. By Senator Vaughan: Relating to hotels, public inns, lodging houses, etc., relating to the lien of such hotel, inn or boarding house for board and lodging, 588.—Reported favorably, 652.
- 348. By Senator Darwin, by request: Providing for creating private corporations for the purpose of insuring or acting as surety or guarantor of the fidelity of employes, trustees, executors, etc., 588.

- 349. By Senators Willacy and Murray:
 To create the Mathis Independent
 School District, San Patricio county,
 589.—Reported favorably, be not
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 Reported engrossed, 802.—Received
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- 350. By Senator Townsend: Validating the incorporation of the town of Rusk, 589.
- 351. By Senator Townsend: Requiring railroad companies to construct switches and spur tracks when ordered to do so by the Railroad Commission, 589.
- 352. By Senator Lattimore: Granting permission to Lee Smith, Boyd Neilson, Arly Gilbert, or by parent, guardian or next friend, to bring suit in the district court of Tarrant county against the State of Texas, 602.—Reported favorably, 671.—Read second time: ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 738.—Reported engrossed, 804.
- 353. By Senator Johnson: To fix the time for holding the terms of the district court in the Forty-seventh Judicial District, 602.—Reported favorably, 703.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 728.—Reported engrossett, 806.—Received from House, 984.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 354. By Senator Warren: To establish the Terrell State Normal College, 602.

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- 355. By Senator Kauffman: Amending Revised Statutes by striking therefrom the words "nor shall the main track of any railroad once constructed and operated be abandoned or moved," 602.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 653.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 815.—Vote by which ordered engrossed reconsidered, 818.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 818.—Reported engrossed, 857.

- 356. By Senator Brelsford: To create a road commission for Callahan county, 603.—Reported favorably, with amendments, 745.—Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 728.—Reported engrossed, 804.—Received from House, with amendments, 1303.—House amendments concurred in, 1306, 1382.—Signed, 1515.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
- 357. By Senator Townsend: To establish standards of weights and measures in the State of Texas; to create the office of Commissioner of Weights and Measures, 603.—Reported favorably, 671.—Made special order, 982.
- 358. By Senators Vaughan and McGregor: Making it unlawful to coerce or require or demand any person to enter into any agreement, written or oral, not to join or become a member of any labor or other organization as a condition for securing employment, 603.
- 359. By Senator Terrell et al.: Creating a child welfare commission, 603.
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- 360. By Senator Terrell: To create a more efficient road system for McLennan county, 603.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 672.—Read second time; committee report adopted: ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 694.—Reported engrossed, 751.—Received from House, 877.—Signed, 973.—Reported enrolled, 1001.
- 361. By Senator McNealus: To grant a charter to the Bankers Guarantee Life and Pension Company of Dallas, Texas, 629.
- 362. By Senator Murray: To authorize Aransas county to issue bonds for road purposes, 629.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 746.—Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 729.—Reported engrossed, 805.—Received from House, 1078.—Signed, 1156.
- 363. By Senator Murray: Relating to building steam railways, interurban railways building their main line near water line of Aransas harbor, 630.—

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 - Reported favorably, 827.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed: constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 913.—Reported engrossed, 979.—Received from House, 1366.—Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 364. By Senator Collins: Making an appropriation to defray the expenses of printing the annotated Revised Statutes, Civil and Criminal, 630.
- 365. By Senator Cowell: Defining cruelty to animals, 630.—Reported favorably, 747.
- 366. By Senator Vaughan: Making an appropriation to defray the expenses of printing the Revised Statutes, Civil and Criminal, 630.
- 367. By Senator Lattimore: To amend Article 23, of Chapter 1, Title 1, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 630. —Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 781.
- 368. By Senator Watson: To amend the road law of Washington county, 630.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 705.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 691.—Reported engrossed, 752.—Received from House, 950.—Signed, 993.—Reported enrolled, 1000.
- 369. By Senator Terrell: To amend Revised Civil Statutes by adding "which prescribes the duties of all persons shipping produce, goods, wares or merchandise on consignment to commission merchants on commission," 630.—Reported favorably, 853.
- 370. By Senator Nugent: To amend Revised Civil Statutes relating to guardianship of persons of unsound mind and habitual drunkards; providing for the partition and distribution of the estates of such persons, 655.
- 371. By Senator Townsend: Providing for the establishment and maintenance of an agricultural experiment station near Lufkin, Texas, 655.—Recalled and re-referred, 707.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 711.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 740.—Reported engrossed; 804.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1559.

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- 372. By Senator Westbrook: Belating to common law marriages, 655.—Recalled and re-referred, 719.—Beported favorably, 747.—Read second time; amendment offered; pending, 885.—Taken up; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 893.
- 373. By Senator Johnson: To amend Article 5174, 5175, 5180, Chapter 8, Title 75, Revised Statutes, 1911, State of Texas, 673.—Reported adversely, 1005.
- 374. By Senator Hudspeth: To provide for the sale of all public free school land with the reservation of mineral rights and without condition of actual settlement or residence, 673.

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- 375. By Senator Nugent: To provide for statements of facts in all cases tried in the district and county courts where jury verdicts are set aside and new trial granted, and for appeal from orders and judgments granting new trials, 673.
- 376. By Scnator Nugent: Amending special road law for Montgomery county. 673.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 745.—Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 730.—Reported engrossed, 803.—Received from House, 985.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1033.
- 377. By Senator Nugent: Providing for appropriations to pay Miss Helen Saunders for a painting known as "The Flight of Zenobia from Palmyra," and for a painting known as "The Meeting of Jeptha and His Daughter," 674.
- 378. By Senators Breisford and Hudspeth: To authorize the commissioners court of the several counties of the State to establish irrigation districts, 674.—Reported favorably, 750.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 1260.—Reported engrossed, 1411.—Read third time and passed, 1386.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1556.
- 379. By Senators Breisford and Hudspeth: Relating to irrigation districts, and authorizing the several counties of the State to create such districts, etc., 674.—Reported favorably, 748.

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- 380. By Senator Townsend: Relating to preparation and filing of transcripts in criminal cases, 674.—Reported favorably, 747.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 844.—Reported engrossed, 890.
- 381. By Senator Lattimore: To create a criminal district court for Tarrant county, 674.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1223.
- 382. By Senator Conner: Relating to the qualifications of the Commissioner of Agriculture, 674.—Reported favorably, 749.
- 383. By Senator Watson: To amend Chapter 34 of the Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-second Legislature, being an act to amend Chapter 80 of the Special Laws passed by the Regular Session of the Thirtieth Legislature of the State of Texas, 674.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 704.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 692.—Reported engrossed, 754.—Received from House, 950.—Signed, 1026.—Reported enrolled, 1035.—Signed, 1452.
- 384. By Senator Brelsford: Pertaining to each reserve of State banks, 674.
- 385. By Senator Lattimore: Relating to false statements to obtain property or credit, 707.—Reported favorably, 853.
- 386. By Senator Brelsford: To create a more efficient road law for Howard county, 707.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 745.—Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 730.—Reported grossed, 804.—Received from House with amendments, 984, 1017.—House amendments concurred in, 1322.—Signed, 1452.—Reported enrolled, 1460.
- 387. By Senator Gibson, by request:
 To repeal what is known as the State insurance law and to provide and create the State Fire Insurance Commission, 707.—Reported favorably, 750.—Refused to make special order, 1044.—Made special order, 1046.—Read second time; amended; laid on table sub-

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- ject to call, 1200.—Taken up; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1232.—Reported engrossed, 1337.—Received from House with amendments, 1471.—Senate refuses to concur in House amendments; requests and elects Free Conterence Committee, 1474.—House reports granting request, 1488.—Senate adopts report, 1493.—House reports adoption of report, 1503.—Signed, 1554.—Reported enrolled, 1558.
- 388. By Senator Gibson, by request: To define the offense of a tenant selling agricultural products on which there is a landlord lien, 707.—Reported favorably, 854.
- 389. By Senator Lattimore: Authorizing stock yards receiving or unloading live stock or in shipping live stock to issue certificates to the owner thereof, 708.—Reported favorably, 1003.
- 390. By Senator Hudspeth: Fixing the number of members constituting the Brard of Managers of the various electrosynary institutions of the State, 708.—Reported favorably, 749.
- 391. By Senator Weinert: To incorporate the Seguin Independent School District in Guadalupe county, 708.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 711.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 731.—Reported engrossed, 802.—Received from House, 951.—Signed, 993.—Reported enrolled, 1001.—Received from House, 1491.
- 392. By Senator Terrell et al.: Concerning the management and control of the State Institution for the Training of Juveniles, 708.—Reported favorably, 749.
- 393. By Senator Morrow: Creating a more efficient road system for Hill county, Texas, 708.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 745.—Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 732.—Reported engrossed, 806.—Received from House with amendments, 985.—Senate refuses to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 992.—House grants request, 1033.—Senate adopts report, 1062.—

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- 394. By Senator Hudspeth: To provide for the creation of a school and home for dependent girls, 717.—Reported favorably, 827.
- 395. By Senator Collins: To define and prohibit newspaper contests where prizes and other rewards are offered for persons obtaining the greatest number of subscriptions, 717.—Reported, favorable majority: adverse minority, 935.
- 396. By Senator Greer: To incorporate the Wills Point Independent School District in Van Zandt county, 717.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 746. Constitutional rule suspended, bill placed on second reading; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 732.—Reported engrossed, 802.—Received from House, 951.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 397. By Senator Warren: Providing for the obtaining of permits to do business in this State by foreign corporations, 717.—Reported favorably, 828.
- 398. By Senator Warren et al: Providing for the punishment of adult males for keeping directly or through any agent or assists in keeping a bawdy house or a disorderly house, 718.—Reported favorably, 853.
- 390. By Senator Johnson: To place the Lubbock Independent School District under the provisions of the general laws relating to incorporated school districts, 718.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 746.—Constitutional rule suspended; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; read second time and ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 733.—Reported engrossed, 804.—Received from House, 984.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 400. By Senator Real: Providing a more efficient road system for Bexar county, 718.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 745.—Constitutional rule suspended, and bill placed on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional

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 - rule suspended; read third time and passed, 734.—Reported engrossed, 805.
 —Received from House, 1079.—Signed, 1217.—Reported enrolled, 1226.
- 401. By Senator Greer: Authorizing ice companies to buy, sell and refrigerate poultry products, fruits, fresh meats and dairy products, 718.
- 402. By Senators Warren and Astin: To reorganize the Thirteenth Judicial District and to create the Seventy-sixth Judicial District, 718.—Reported favorably, 784.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 901.—Reported engrossed, 941.—Received from House, 1069.—Signed, 1113.—Reported enrolled, 1116.—Veto message, 1172.
- 403. By Senator Nugent: To create a special district court for the counties of Montgomery, Liberty, Chambers, Hardin, San Jacinto and Polk, 718.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 870.
- 404. By Senator Johnson: To provide for a high school to be located at Hale Center in Hale county, Texas, 755.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 827.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 880.—Reported engrossed, 941.—Received from House, 1134.—Signed, 1264.—Reported enrolled, 1280.
- By Senator Nugent: Providing that drainage bonds issued under the provisions of law may be deposited with State depositories, on equal dignity with the United States, State, county, independent school district and municipal bonds, 755.—Reported favorably, 828.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 988.-Engrossment vote reconsidered, 989.-Read; amended; ordered engrossed, 989.—Engrossment vote reconsidered, 991.—Read; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 991. -Reported engrossed, 1032.—Received from House, 1493.-Signed, 1521.-Reported enrolled, 1526.
- 406. By Senator Murray: To render a more efficient road law for Refugio county, 785.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 932.

- 407. By Senator Terrell: To incorporate the McGregor Independent School District in McLennan county, 785 .--Reported favorably; be not printed, 827.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 921.—Reported engrossed, 999.—Received from House, 1133.—Signed, 1264.—Reported rolled, 1281.
- 408. By Senator Conner: To create a Board of Regents for the John Tarleton College of Stephenville, Erath county, 785.—Reported favorably, 827. -Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 866.-Reported engrossed, 938.—Received from House, 984.—Signed, 1027.—Reported enrolled, 1034.
- 409. By Senator Brelsford: To amend Article 869, Revised Penal Code, 1911, so as to include Haskell county in the list of counties exempted from the provisions of said article, 808.—Reported favorably, 854.
- 410. By Senator Brelsford: To amend Section 3, Article 7355, Revised Statutes, providing that an occupation tax on auctioneers shall not apply to persons who do not regularly follow that calling, 808.—Reported favorably, 949.
- 411. By Senator Warren: To amend Revised Statutes, 1911, providing that corporations created under Chapter 1, Title 25, may be formed for any purpose not in violation of law; further providing that the charters of all corporations be recorded in full in the Secretary of State's office, 808.—Reported favorably, 940.
- 412. By Senator Astin et al.: Providing for State aid in the establishing and maintaining the farmers' co-operative demonstration work and the Boys' and Girls' Club work now being jointly carried on by several departments of the United States Agricultural demonstration work, 808 .- Reported favorably, 855.
- 413. By Senator Vaughan: Amending the city charter of the city of Texarkana, 808.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 826.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 838.

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 - -Reported engrossed, 856.—Received from House, 953.—Signed, 1113.—Reported enrolled, 1116.
 - 414. By Senator Vaughan: vide for the acquisition by telegraph and telephone companies incorporated under the laws of Texas of other companies or systems incorporated for said purpose, 808.—Reported favorably, 852.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 866.—Reported engrossed, 890.—Received from House; with amendments, 1069.—Senate refused to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 1071.— House grants request, 1095.—Senate adopts report, 1136.—House reports adoption of report, 1147.-Signed, 1157.—Reported enrolled, 1225.
 - 415. By Senator Collins: Creating a special road law for Jasper county, Texas, 809.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 933.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 899.—Reported engrossed, 980. -Received from House, 1133.-Signed, 1218.—Reported enrolled, 1225.
 - 416. By Senators Vaughan and Town-To authorize the Railroad send: Commission of Texas to make inquiry into the expenditures of railways for salaries of officials and otherwise, 809. -Reported favorably, to be printed in Journal, 939.—Bill in full, 974.
 - 417. By Senator Lattimore: Relating to recognizances of defendant after conviction and upon appeal, 809 .-- Reported favorably, 854.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 1249 .-Engrossment vote reconsidered; read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended: read third time and passed, 1250. —Reported engrossed, 1339.
 - 418. By Senators McNealus and Ter-Authorizing the incorporation rell: of and defining social clubs, 809.-Reported favorably, 854.
 - 419. By Senator Murray: To transfer Karnes county from the Twenty-fourth Judicial District of Texas to the Thirty-sixth Judicial District of Texas, and to change the time of holding

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courts in said districts, 809.-Reported favorably; be not printed, 889. -Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed: constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 879.—Reported engrossed 939.—Received from House, with amendments, 1474.—House amendments concurred in, 1475.—Signed, amendments, 1519.—Reported enrolled, 1526.

- 420. By Senator Greer: Amending the special road law for Wood county, Texas, 830.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 851.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 899. -Reported engrossed, 943.-Received from House, 1133.—Signed, 1217.—Reported enrolled, 1225.
- 421. By Senator Nugent et al.: To prohibit the creation of deficiencies or debts in the name of the State by regents, directors, officers or members of governing boards of any of the eleemosynary or educational institutions of the State, 830.—Reported favorably, 935.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and 1052.—Reported engrossed, passed, 1088.
- 422. By Senator Astin: Amending local road law for Robertson county, 830.—Reported favorably, 851.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 920.—Reported engrossed, 998. ---Received from House, with amendments, 1134.—House amendments concurred in, 1169.-Signed, 1264.-Reported enrolled, 1281.
- 423. By Senator Greer: To regulate and define the practice of massage and to create a board of examiners, 830.-Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 936.—Recalled and recommitted, 930.-Reported, adverse majority; favorable minority, 1090, 1091.
- 424. By Senator Morrow et al.: reorganize the Fortieth Judicial District of Texas; providing that Rockwall county shall be taken from the Fortieth Judicial District and transferred to the Dallas Criminad Judicial District; and to prescribe and fix the time of holding terms of ccurt in

Kaufman and Ellis counties, \$30 .-Reported favorably, 851.—Read second. time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 916.—Reported. engrossed, 998.—Received from House, with amendments, 1237.—Senate concurs in House amendments, 1237, 1257. -Recalled from enrolling room, 1301. -Vote by which House amendments were concurred in reconsidered, 1231. -Senate refused to concur in House amendments, requests and elects Free Conference Committee, 1301.—House grants request, 1352.—Senate adopts report, 1372.—House reports adoption of report, 1376.—Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1458.

- 425. By Senator Warren: Relating to hunting and fishing on enclosed lands without consent of owner, 865.-Reported favorably, 890.—Read second time; committee report adopted; or-dered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1215.—Reported engrossed, 1280.
- By Senator Collins: To prohibit the sale or exchange to minors of any beverage or compound in the preparation of which caffein or extract containing caffein have been used, 865 .-Reported favorably, 1131.
- 427. By Senator Greer: Exempting Wood county from provisions of Section 2, Chapter 78, General Laws of Thirtieth Legislature relating to catching of fish, 871.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 935.
- 428. By Senator Greer: Providing for department of agriculture, manual training and domestic economy in the high school of Winnsboro Independent School District located in Wood county, 871.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 995.
- 429. By Senator Townsend: To amend Revised Civil Statutes providing that no verdict shall be rendered in any cause except upon the concurrence of all jurors trying the same except in the trial of criminal cases below the grade of felony in the district court, when nine members of the jury concurring may render a verdict, 871.-Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 933.
- 430. By Senator Watson: Providing for the time and manner in which property shall be listed for taxation, 872.—Reported favorably, 940.

- 431. By Senator Hudspeth: Making it an offense for any person to cut down, injure or remove any timber from land not his own without the consent of the owner, 872.—Reported favorably, 936.
- 432. By Senator Kauffman: Providing that sand taken for the raising of the grade on Galveston island shall be exempted from the provisions of Chapter 68 of the Acts of Thirty-second Legislature, 872.—Reported favorably and be printed in Journal, 939.—Bill in full, 974.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1043.—Reported engrossed, 1056.—Received from House, 1361.—Signed, 1450.—Reported enrolled, 1458.
- 433. By Senator McNealus: Relating to the State militia, 872.—Reported favorably, 937.—Read second time and laid on table subject to call, 1050.
- 434. By Senators Lattimore and Conner: Authorizing railway companies to acquire by purchase or otherwise, lands for demonstration and experimental farm purposes, 872.—Reported favorably and be printed in Journal, 939.—Bill in full, 974.—Read second time: committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1414.—Reported engrossed, 1457.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1552.—Reported enrolled, 1558.
- 435. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend paragraph 7, Article 4493, Title 65, Chapter 7, pertaining to insurance, 872.—Reported, adverse majority; favorable substitute, 1132.
- 436. By Senator Hudspeth: To authorize the El Paso & Southwestern Railroad Company to purchase the El Paso & Northwestern Railroad Company and to operate same, 872.—Reported favorably, 939.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1025.—Reported engrossed, 1054.—Received from House, 1362.—Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1458.
- 437. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Article 4711, Title 71, Chapter 1, Revised Civil Statutes relating to insurance, 872.—Reported, adverse majority; favorable substitute, 1131.

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- 438. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend paragraph 4882, Title 71, Chapter 8, Revised Civil Statutes, pertaining to insurance, 872.—Reported favorably, 1132.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; real third time and passed, 1400.—Reported engrossed, 1457.—Received from House, 1529.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1558.
- 439. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend paragraph 2, of Article 4875, Chapter 8, Revised Civil Statutes pertaining to insurance, 872.—Reported, adverse majority; favorable minority, 1131.
- 440. By Senator Murray: To create a more efficient road law for Jackson county, 892.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 933.
- 441. By Senator Gibson: Relating to life insurance companies doing business in this State, 892.
- 442. By Senator Johnson: Authorizing Hemphill county to lay out and construct and maintain public roads, 892.—Reported favorably, 934.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 989.—Reported engrossed, 1038.—Read third time and passed, 1024.—Received from House, 1133.—Signed, 1218.—Reported enrolled, 1225.
- 443. By Senator McGregor: Amending local road law for Williamson county, 893.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 934.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1044.—Reported engrossed, 1056.—Received from House, 1366.—Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1458:
- 444. By Senator Nugent: To require owners or lessees of land, enclosed, to give outlets by lanes or gates to owners of land contiguous thereto, 893.—Reported adversely, 1003.—Called up and recommitted, 1100.—Reported favorably, 1556.
- 445. By Senator Brelsford et al.: Pertaining to the duties of the Commissioner of Insurance and Banking, 893.

 —Reported favorably, 940.
- 446. By Senator Taylor: Requiring physical examination of school children for detection of physical defects, 911.—Reported, favorable majority; adverse minority, 1057.

- 447. By Senator Hudspeth: To validate certain land titles in Medina county, 911.
- 448. By Senator Wiley: To amend Title 13, Chapter 6. Penal Code, 1911. amending Article 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922 and 923, relating to better protection of fish and oyster industry, 911.—Reported favorably, 977.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 992.—Reported engrossed, 1054.-Received from House, amendments, 1294. — House with amendments concurred in, 1296 .-Signed, 1452.—Reported enrolled, 1460.
- 449. By Senator Warren: Placing Henderson county under the provisions of the stock law, 944.
- 450. By Senator Real: Placing Kerr county under the provisions of the stock law, 944.
- 451. By Senator Real: Extending the time in which domestic and foreign corporations may pay defaulted franchise taxes and have their rights to do business revived, 944.—Reported favorably, 1058.
- 452. By Senators Collins and Taylor: Authorizing the payment of certain sum to inmates of the Confederate Home who may desire to accept the same and leave the Home, 944.—Reported favorably, 1060.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1151.—Reported engrossed, 1224.
- 453. By Senator Astin: Requiring persons handling pistols to secure license and pay occupation tax, 944.—Reported favorably, 977.
- 454. By Senator Watson: To provide for the erection for a monument over the remains of Col. Burleson in the State Cemetery at Austin, 944.—Reported favorably, 1058.
- 455. By Senator Bailey: Granting permission to Imperial Sugar Company to sue the State, 944.—Reported favorably, 1060.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1199.—Reported engrossed, 1280.

- 456. By Senator Nugent: Permitting
 B. E. Eastham to sue the State, 944.
 —Reported favorably, 1059.—Read second time and ordered engrossed, 1247.
 —Engrossment vote reconsidered; read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1249.
 —Reported engrossed, 1338.
- 457. By Senator Johnson: To reorganize the Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh, Fiftieth and creating the Sixty-ninth Judicial District, 981.—Reported favorably, 1115.
- 458. By Senator Weinert et al.: Providing for the formation and incorporation of rural credit unions or cooperative associations for the purpose of borrowing money on short periods of time and at reasonable interest, 981.—Reported favorably, 1002.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1139.—'Reported engrossed, 1224.—Received from House, 1474.—Signed, 1521.—Reported enrolled, 1526.
- 459. By Senator Weinert: To amend an act to create a more efficient road system for Gonzales county, Texas, 981.—Reported favorably, 996.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1045.—Reported engrossed, 1088.—Received from House, 1303.—Signed, 1450.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 460. By Senator Watson: To create a more efficient road system for Bastrop county, 981.—Reported favorably; be not printed. 996.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1016.—Reported engrossed, 1054.—Received from House, 1133.—Signed, 1264.—Reported enrolled, 1281.
- 461. By Senator Wiley: Providing for the sale of certain land in the city of Austin now belonging to the State, 981.

 —Reported favorably, 1058.
- 462. By Senator Cowell: Granting to Denison. Grayson county, a new charter of incorporation, 1009.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1031.—Read second time; committee report adopt-

- - ed; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and `1042.— Reported—engrossed, 1056.—Received from House, 1362.— Signed, 1448.—Reported enrolled, 1457.
- 463. By Senator Hudspeth: To provide for the regulation and supervision of life insurance agents, 1009.-Reported favorably, 1131.
- 464. By Senator Vaughan et al.: Permitting the consolidation of interurban railway companies with street railway companies; permitting the owning and operating same as per the terms of consolidation, 1036.—Reported favorably, 1057.—Read second time, amended; and failed to pass to engrossment, 1215.
- 465. By Senator Brelsford: To create a local road law for Stephens county, Texas, 1036.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 1053.—Read second time, 1264.—Taken up; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1287.—Reported engrossed, 1338.—Received from House, 1503.—Signed, 1552.—Reported 473. By Senator McNealus: enrolled, 1556.
- 466. By Senator Kauffman: To create a local road law for Wharton county. Texas, 1036.—Reported favorably, be not printed, 1054.—Read second time; laid on table subject to call, 1313.
- 467. By Senator Lattimore: Creating the Tolar Independent School District in Hood county, Texas, 1063.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1231. -Read second time; committee report adopted; passed to engrossment; constitutional rule suspended; read thiel time and passed, 1314.
- 468. By Senator Green: Creating a road law for Upshur county, Texas, 1063.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1091.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1174. —Reported engrossed, 1280.
- Amending 469. By Senator Johnson: Slaton Independent School District law of Lubbock county, Texas, 1063. Reported favorably; be not printed, 1087.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read

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 - 470. By Senator Real: To confer upon the county court of Kendall county all cases or matters of eminent domain, 1063.—Reported favorably; be printed, 1087.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended: read third time and passed, 1313. —Reported engrossed, 1410.
 - 471. By Senator Nugent: To permit W. A. Eastham et al. to sue the State, 1097.—Reported favorably, 1130.—Ordered not printed, 1136.—Read second time; committee report adopted, 1248. -Taken up, amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1250. -Reported engrossed, 1338.
 - 472. By Senator McNealus: Prohibiting the giving, soliciting or receiving of tips, 1098.—Reported, adverse majority; favorable minority, 1333.
 - To define and prohibit blacklisting of students, 1098.—Reported favorably, 1334.
 - 474. By Senator Willacy: To authorize Nueces county to build and maintain a causeway from the mainland on the south shore of Nueces or Corpus Christi Bays to the northern shores of said bays, etc., 1098.—Reported favorably: be not printed, 1115.—Read second time; committee report adopted: amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended: read third time and passed, 1142.—Reported engrossed, 1225.—Received from House, 1366.—Signed, 1450.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
 - 475. By Senator Collins: Prohibiting the sale of groceries, fruits, etc., on Sunday, 1134.—Reported adversely,
 - 476. By Senator Brelsford, by request: Creating an independent school district for Taylor county, 1134.-Reported favorably; be not printed. 1165. -Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1288.—Reported engrossed, 1411.

- 477. By Senator Watson: Validating the incorporation of the town of Giddings, incorporated for free school purposes only, 1134.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1165.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1172.—Reported engrossed, 1224.—Received from House, 1366.—Signed, 1451.—Reported enrolled, 1458.
- 478. By Senator Vaughan: Relating to issuance of license to retail liquor dealers; providing for petition of a majority of white voters in locality affected, 1168.—Reported favorably, 1334.
- 479. By Senator McGregor: To prohibit any male person over the age of 21 years, in this State, having carnal intercourse with any female under the age of 21 years, and who is, at the time, in his employ, 1168.—Reported favorably, 1334.
- 480. By Senators Willacy and Weinert:
 Making appropriation for the support
 of the State Prison Commission, 1169.
 —Reported favorably; be not printed,
 1231.—Read second time; committee
 report adopted; ordered engrossed,
 1257.—Taken up; constitutional rule
 suspended; read third time and passed,
 1260.—Reported engrossed, 1337.—Received from House, 1488.—Signed,
 1519.—Reported enrolled, 1527.
- 481. By Senator Nugent: Making appropriation to purchase marble bust of General Memucan Hunt, 1169.
- 482. By Senator Johnson: Making Saturday afternoon a legal half holiday, 1169.
- 483. By Senator Wiley: Creating local road law for Montague county, 1169.

 —Reported favorably; be not printed, 1279.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1244.

 —Reported engrossed, 1336.—Received from House, 1488.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1559.
- 484. By Senator Terrell: Creating a special district court for McLennan county, 1169.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1218.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspend-

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 - ed; read third time and passed, 1243.

 —Reported engrossed, 1280.—Received from House, 1420.—Signed, 1448.—Reported enrolled, 1459.
- 485. By Senator McNealus: Relating to mechanic's lien with reference to construction of levees or embankments erected for the reclamation of overflow land, 1241.—Reported favorably, 1328.—Read second time and passed to engrossment, 1437.—Reported engrossed, 1526.
- 486. By Senator Cowell: Relating to the issuance of road bonds, 1283.—Reported favorably, with amendments, and be not printed, 1408.
- 487. By Senator Cowell: Relating tomaturity of county bonds, 1284.
- 488. By Senators Nugent and Terrell: Providing for the organization of rural banking associations, for the purpose of extending loans for the promotion of agriculture, 1340.
- 489. By Senator Brelsford: Relating to the fees of district and county surveyors, 1340.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1407.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1376.—Reported engrossed, 1411.
- 490. By Senator Nugent: Requiring trunk lines of telephone companies to connect with local and individual telephone lines on reasonable terms, 1340.

 —Reported favorably; be not printed, 1522.
- 491. By Senator Terrell: Authorizing Fayette county to issue bonds for local road purposes, 1341.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1407.—Constitutional rule suspended and bill placed on second reading; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1364.—Reported engrossed, 1411.—Received from House, 1491.—Signed, 1555.—Reported enrolled, 1559.
- 492. By Senator Collins: Relating to compensation of county commissioners when acting as road supervisors, 1380.

 —Reported favorably; be not printed, 1406.
- 493. By Senator Watson et al.: Authorizing formation of corporations

for construction and operation of interurban and other gas and electric railways, 1380.—Reported favorably; be not printed, 1407.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1414.—Reported engrossed, 1456.—Received from House, 1530.—Signed, 1555.

- 494. By Senator Terrell: To establish an inebriate asylum for the detention and treatment of habitual drunkards, 1488.
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- By Senator McGregor: To amend Section 2 of Article 6 of the Constitution, authorizing females to vote, 20.— Reported favorably, with amendments, 225.—Read second time; committee report adopted, and failed to pass to engrossment, 1048.
- 2. By Senator Vaughan et al: Proposing amendment to State Constitution, amending Article 5, relating to the judicial department of the State government, 68.—Reported with substitute, 142.—Made special order, 280.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended and made special order, 458.—Taken up; amended, and failed to pass, 540.
- 3. By Senator Taylor et al.: Providing for the ratification and adoption by the State of Texas of the amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of United States Senators by direct vote, 68.—Reported adversely, with favorable report on House Joint Resolution No. 5 as substitute, 466.
- 4. By Senator Terrell: Proposing an amendment to Section 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas, 106.—Reported favorably, 224.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 504.—Reported engrossed, 530.—Read third time and passed, 844.—Received from House with amendments, 1500.—House amendments concurred in, 1505.—Signed, 1556.—Reported enrolled, 1558.

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- 5. By Senators Vaughan and McNealus: Providing for submitting to the qualified voters of Texas for the calling of a constitutional convention, 106.—Reported, adverse majority; favorable minority, 527.—Ordered not printed; read second time and adverse committee report adopted, 1048.
- 6. By Senator McGregor: Proposing an amendment to Section 10 of Article 8 of the Constitution relating to taxation; reported favorably, with amendments, 224.—Read second time; pending, 1050.—Taken up and failed to pass to engrossment, 1436.
- By Senators McNealus and Hudspeth: To amend Section 1, Article 3 of the Constitution so as to grant aid to disabled soldiers and sailors and their widows, 129.—Reported favorably, 224.

 —Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 1292.—Reported engrossed, 1337.—Read third time and passed, 1341.
- 8. By Senator Vaughan et al: To amend Section 1, Article 3 of the Constitution, proposing to empower the people to propose laws and to enact or reject the same at the polls, and to approve or reject at the polls any act of the Legislature, 129.—Reported favorably, 799.
- 9. By Senator Morrow: Proposing to amend Section 4, Article 5 of the Constitution, providing that the Court of Criminal Appeals shall consist of four judges, 137.—Reported favorably, 800.
- 10. By Senator Morrow: Proposing to amend Section 2, Article 5 of the Constitution, providing that the Supreme Court of the State of Texas shall consist of chief justice and four associate justices, 137.—Reported favorably, 799.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 1247.—Reported engrossed, 1336.—Read third time and passed, 1292.
- 11. By Senator Morrow: Amending Section 7, Article 5 of the Constitution, relating to the creation and formation of judicial districts, 137.—Reported favorably, 799.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 1247.—Reported engrossed, 1337.—Read third time and passed, 1292.—Received from House with amendments,